FORECAST — Moderate southeast to south winds, mostly fair, not much change in temperature.

Sunshine yesterday, 4 hours 42 minutes.

Victoria Daily Times

TIDES

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17	3.15	8.2	9.52	3.9	16.12	7.3	21.45	5.5
18	3.34	8.3	10.36	3.5	17.33	7.1	22.16	6.0
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BRITAIN HEARS CABINET IS SPLIT

Blum Cabinet Is Given Chamber Confidence Vote

New French Ministry Upheld 362 to 110; Announces Arms Increase

Thousand New Fighting Planes

PARIS (AP)—Premier Leon Blum's new cabinet was given a 362-to-110 vote of confidence by the Chamber of Deputies tonight after his ministerial declaration announcing an immediate increase in France's armaments program.

M. Blum had staked the life of his four-day-old Popular Front government on the vote, which followed his presentation of the government to parliament.

Shortly before Premier Blum addressed the Chamber the cabinet had authorized the defence ministers to make commitments for extraordinary armaments expenditures of 4,465,000,000 francs ($134,000,000), mostly to buy new fighting planes.

It also decided to ask Parliament to open additional exceptional armaments credits.

PEACE DESIRED

M. Blum told a crowded chamber his government, formed only last Sunday, was willing to go any length for peace, but he said circumstances compelled it to embark on an immediate new armaments program.

"Steps to create these armaments will be taken at once," Premier Blum said, and he promised that "at the same time nothing will be left undone to organize and develop new means of production."

Pleading for support of his government in its first parliamentary test, the Socialist Premier said the German absorption of Austria had shaken Europe.

It could, he said, easily give rise to "much more serious" developments.

TALK OF COALITION

His plea was received coldly by most of the deputies, and political observers said a large element in the chamber was determined M. Blum must give way in face of France's present perils to a national union government.

France, the Premier declared, was ready to take any step that seemed necessary to maintain European peace.

But she must safeguard her independence and make sure of her frontiers and lines of communication.

IN FIVE-YEAR PLAN

The 1938 cost of France's five-year defence plan alone is expected to reach between 3,000,-

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HITLER IS TO TALK OF SPAIN

Statement on Civil War Expected in Reichstag Speech Tomorrow

BERLIN (AP) — Chancellor Hitler, curtailing his triumphant tour of Austria because of increasing gravity of affairs elsewhere in Europe, may give to the world tomorrow an important announcement on Spain.

The Fuehrer summoned the Reichstag to meet to hear "a declaration," and the marked emphasis placed on Spanish events by government spokesmen indicated Spain may be an important subject of that declaration.

As usual, no one professed to know exactly what Hitler, Europe's man of surprises, had in mind. But officials said, there's not in prospect any critical development in the Lithuanian-Polish crisis, caused by the killing of a Polish border guard.

"The story is in Spain, not in northern Europe," the Foreign Office spokesman said. "Even Vienna has practically ceased to interest statesmen. The Austrian anschluss (union with Germany) is a closed chapter."

Lithuanians fear Germany might take advantage of the present tenseness to gain return of Memel, a part of Lithuania which Germany regards as "unredeemed territory" lost in the Great War.

Wage Minimums In Box Plants Raised

Minimum wages for workers in box manufacturing plants in British Columbia were increased five cents an hour by order of the B.C. Board of Industrial Relations today.

Adam Bell, chairman, announced the new scale which raises the minimum for adult males from 35 to 40 cents an hour; for youths of 18 to 21 years, from 25 to 30 cents; and for boys under 18 from 20 to 25 cents.

Garbo Will Not Wed Stokowski

RAVELLO, Italy (AP)—Greta Garbo, the actress, and Leopold Stokowski, the symphony maestro, said today they were not planning to marry.

First the conductor and then the Swedish movie star received reporters in the library of the ancient villa where they have been vacationing for three weeks.

Broker Admits Guilt

Richard Whitney, president of the New York brokerage firm of Richard Whitney and Co., now bankrupt, is pictured at the left above as he walked out of the police station after being booked. Since then he has admitted in court more illegal acts than he was accused of in the original grand larceny charge and he is awaiting the judge's decision.

B.C. Wins Right To Argue Case On "Better Terms"

Rowell Says Commission Advised to Deal With Province's Special Claims

British Columbia today won its first important decision before the Rowell Commission when the chairman, Chief Justice Rowell, accepted Premier Pattullo's contention that this province's claims to special treatment must be considered before a general review of Dominion-provincial relations is carried out.

In other provinces the commission has taken the view it would not hear special claims, but the chief justice declared this morning he had been advised by the Dominion Government to hear B.C.'s special case. This, he said, was done because British Columbia had been pressing for a commission for years, and the justice of its claims had been partially recognized by the allowance of a $750,000 interim subsidy in 1935 until a final settlement can be made.

This cleared the way for a further detailed argument on the "better-terms" claim by Senator J. W. deB. Farris, K.C., the government's counsel.

ON NEW BASIS

Mr. Farris said he approached the issue in the attitude that the slate should be wiped clean of any settlements that had been made in the past and start on a new basis that would be equitable to all provinces.

"That is the object of this commission, said the chairman.

Mr. Farris read from Confederation records to refute the suggestion that the building of a railway to the coast was part of the bargain to B.C. What British Columbia had asked at the time was a wagon road from Fort Garry, he said. Building of the railroad was a matter of national, as a matter of fact, Empire policy.

He then took up the point that federal allowances to B.C. had not taken into account the high cost of government here due to the scattered nature of the country. With an area of 366,255 square miles, B.C. was as large as the United Kingdom, France, Holland, Belgium and Denmark combined, and had a population of 780,800, of whom 102,367 were on farms. Its highways totaled 20,172 miles, costing $89,000,000 to construct. Total expenditure on roads since Confederation was $114,000,000. Education, policing and health services cost more,

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GREAT TRIBUTE PAID TO EAST

Federal Income Tax "Bleeding Us White" Farris Tells Probe

British Columbia occupies a unique position in the Canadian Confederation as far as taxation, tariff and economic policies are concerned, Senator J. W. deB. Farris, K.C., explained to the Rowell Commission this morning.

B.C., he maintained, paid tribute to the protected industries of Ontario and Quebec, but received little compensation, buying in the high-priced protected markets and selling in the cheapest world markets.

The prairies and maritimes, also paying tribute to Ontario and Quebec industries, were compensated in the home market built up by tariffs, he claimed. Ontario and Quebec had a distinct position in that the entire fiscal policy of Canada was designed to protect and build up secondary industries, a policy that had meant centralizing most of the large corporations of Canada in these two provinces.

INCOME TAX

In the way of income tax British Columbia paid an enormous tribute to Canada, Mr. Farris argued. Since 1918, the Do-

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Eight Ministers Stated To Insist On Stronger Foreign Policy Than Chamberlain's

War Secretary Hore-Belisha and Others Demand Clear-cut Declaration of Britain's Stand in Regard to Czechoslovakia and Spain, Saying Present Plan of Leaving Spain to Italy and Germany Endangers Gibraltar; Churchill Rumored in Running for Formation of All-party Cabinet

In Cabinet Test

Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain

RUSSIA URGES POWERS UNITE

Litvinoff Suggests Checking of German-Italian-Japanese Aggression

MOSCOW (AP)—Foreign Minister Litvinoff today invited powers other than Germany, Japan and Italy to discuss joint action aimed at "checking further development of aggression and eliminating increased danger of a new world massacre."

He made the proposal on behalf of the Soviet government.

"Tomorrow it may be too late," the commissar told correspondents called to the Foreign Office for the announcement.

"But today there is still time for all states, especially the great powers, to adopt a firm and unequivocal position toward the problem of collective safety and peace."

Litvinoff stated the Soviet Union was ready to talk within the framework of the League of Nations or outside it.

TO SAVE CZECHS

Litvinoff said he was urging the invited powers to discuss joint action to save Czechoslovakia from attack by Germany and Lithuania from Polish aggression.

His formal statement did not mention specifically the calling of a conference, but he said the exchanges he envisioned would be tantamount to a conference.

Litvinoff said "aggressor" nations would not be invited to the conference.

"Can you ask an aggressor to discuss action against his aggression?" he asked. "Certainly not."

ADVICE TO POLAND

Litvinoff disclosed that Russia had informed Poland in "a quite friendly way" that the Soviet Union considered the situation between Poland and Lithuania a danger to the peace of eastern Europe.

(Poland has brought pressure to bear on Lithuania for "normalization" of their relations—they have had no diplomatic relations since 1920 when Poland seized Wilno—and for settlement of a border clash in which a Pole was killed.)

He affirmed Russia's readiness to abide by the League of Nations covenant, the Brian-Kellogg peace pact and Russia's mutual assistance treaties with France and Czechoslovakia.

Litvinoff said he had been informed that Poland demanded satisfaction from Lithuania for the border incident within 36 hours.

MESSAGE FROM VALERA

DUBLIN (AP)—Prime Minister Eamon de Valera today sent a St. Patrick's Day greeting to "All Ireland's children and Ireland's friends" in America. "I know they will remember us as we remember them," he said.

MEN SHOUT IN BRITISH HOUSE

Several Chanting "Chamberlain Must Go" Are Ejected

LONDON (AP)—Debate in the House of Commons was interrupted tonight when several men in the visitors' gallery shouted in unison, "Chamberlain must go!" and showered leaflets on the heads of members below.

The demonstrators were hustled out by attendants.

Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill was speaking at the time of 1938-39 naval appropriations. He warned against danger of Britain "being netted" by Italian fortifications in the Mediterranean and Red seas

CANADA KEEPS CLEAR OF TILTS

Premier King Tells Commons Government Avoids Europe-Asia Tangles

OTTAWA (CP) — Declaring that if Canada desired not to become involved in the developments in Europe and Asia it was inadvisable to make any representations that would appear to have contrary aim, Prime Minister King refused this afternoon in the House of Commons to be drawn into a discussion of warlike activities in Europe.

Questions were directed at the Prime Minister from many quarters when the House opened this afternoon, demanding the government's attitude toward the foreign policies of the United Kingdom government and urging either removal of the embargo against shipments to Spain or extension of the embargo to Italy and Germany.

"Tremendous events" were transpiring in Europe and Asia, the Prime Minister said. The government should be guarded in what it said and should do all possible to prevent any happening here that would make it more difficult for those countries immediately involved in those events.

BENNETT'S VIEW

Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative, said he concurred in what

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Possible Recall Of Baldwin Discussed

By GEORGE HAMBLETON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON — Unconfirmed rumors spread through the corridors of Parliament today that Prime Minister Chamberlain is faced with a revolt of eight members of his cabinet.

The are said to be demanding a clear-cut statement on foreign policy in regard to Czechoslovakia and Spain.

Extreme versions of the rumor predict resignation of Mr. Chamberlain with the recall of Earl Baldwin or the summoning of Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill to form an all-party government.

HORE-BELISHA GROUP

The ministers in revolt are said to be:

Leslie Hore-Belisha, Secretary of State for War.

Malcolm Macdonald, Secretary for the Dominions.

Earl de la Warr, Lord Privy Seal.

William Ormsby-Gore, Secretary for the Colonies.

Walter Elliot, Secretary for Scotland.

Oliver Stanley, President of the Board of Trade.

W. S. Morrison, Minister of Agriculture.

Earl Winterton, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster.

CHURCHILL IN RUNNING

Quarters close to the government dismissed as absurd the reports concerning Earl Baldwin and Mr. Churchill. They pointed out Lord Baldwin is now a peer and that it is a long time since Great Britain had a prime minister in the House of Lords. Furthermore, they said, Lord Baldwin was in failing health when he retired after the Coronation last May.

But should the crisis become acute, it is not unlikely Mr. Churchill would be in the running for the premiership. His support of the League of Nations and collective security have brought him nearer the Liberal and Labor opposition than he has even been before.

On the Conservative side of the House many support the League system. With such support from both sides it is not unlikely Mr. Churchill would command a majority in the Commons—which is essential to any government no matter who is prime minister.

LABOR'S POSITION

Leading Labor members declared they would not serve in a government headed by Mr. Chamberlain. They are indignant over what they consider his abandonment of the League.

Mr. Hore-Belisha, the Associated Press reported informed sources as saying, had given Mr.

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German Rewards For Italy's Support Are Now Rumored

Concessions in Spain; Seizure in Jugoslavia May Be Attempted

By GEORGE HAMBLETON
Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON—Premier Mussolini is claiming his price. His compensation for acquiescence in German domination of central Europe, it is believed here, lies in northern Africa, Spain and the Mediterranean. He is said to have German support in steps which would bring him nearer his dream of Italian control of the Middle Sea.

Attempts at such control would bring him into conflict with the direct interests of both Great Britain and France. Britain now holds both gateways to the Mediterranean—at Gibraltar and Suez. Down the Mediterranean, by the establishment of bases and agreements, Britain has built a pyramid of power from Gibraltar to the Straits of Bab el Mandeb. To Britain it is the route to her Egyptian ally, to India, and to the Near East.

FRANCE AND BALEARICS

To France any threat against the Mediterranean status quo, particularly in the neighborhood of the Balearics, imperils the route whereby, in the event of war, she would bring troops from north Africa.

To Italy the Meditteranean is vital. In the case of war a blockade of the Strait of Gibraltar would drive her from the Atlantic. Closing of the Suez Canal would isolate her new ter-

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LLOYD GEORGE FLAYS POLICY

Says Britain in "Unholy Muddle" With Present Cabinet Leading

LONDON (AP) — Britain's World War Premier, Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, left for Paris today declaring the British government's foreign policy was in an "unholy muddle."

"Our ministry seems to be blind as bats," he said with a snort.

"The British Empire and France both have been manoeuvred into the worst strategic position possible," he said.

"There is no clear direction, no leadership except in the dictator states. Napoleon knew the strategic advantage of securing Spain in his struggle with Britain, but luckily the British ministry of that day realized the dangers in time.

"Our ministry seem blind as bats"—presumably referring to the situation created by the presence of Italian and German troops with the insurgent army in Spain.

NEW PRAIRIE BISHOP

VATICAN CITY (CP)—Rev. Father Reginald Duprat of the Dominican Order today was appointed bishop of Prince Albert, Saskatchewan.

STORM LEAVES SNOW ON HILLS

The tail-end of the Pacific storm which swept the coast at the beginning of the week left rain and sleet on the island yesterday. A few inches of snow covered the Sooke Hills, the Malahat and other high altitudes this morning, but melted fast in the sun.

There was a ground frost last night with the mercury dropping to 30 degrees. The official thermometer, however, showed a minimum of 34 degrees.

The forecast today is for moderate southeast to south winds, mostly fair, with not much change in temperature.

Barcelona Nine Times Bombed

Rebel Air Raids Take More Than 500 Lives in 16 Hours

BARCELONA (AP) — Nine insurgent air raids took well over 500 lives Wednesday night and today in this metropolitan capital.

Hundreds were wounded in a series of bombardments which shook the city at intervals during 16 hours. Casualty lists were incomplete.

A bomb fell near the United States embassy in the ninth raid, the third daylight assault. The building was jarred and windows were broken.

Hospitals were still too busy caring for the wounded to issue an official count of the dead.

Deaths in the first eight bombardments had been set at 284.

Thousands of persons were on the streets when Generalissimo Francisco Franco's airmen struck for the ninth time.

The sticken city was cleaning up the debris, gathering bodies and caring for the wounded of

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THE WEATHER

VICTORIA, 5 a.m. today—Pressure continues low on the North Pacific and is rising slowly over British Columbia. Snow flurries have occurred on the coast and over the interior. It has been comparatively warm on the prairie.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.84; temperature, max. 48, min. 34; wind, 16 miles W.; precip. .13; clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.80; temperature, max. 44, min. 36; calm; precip. .22; clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.48; temperature, max. 42, min. 32; wind, 14 miles S.E.; precip. .10; snowing.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, max. 56, min. 44; wind, 4 miles S.; precip. .53; cloudy.

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	48	34
Nanaimo	47	32
Vancouver	44	36
New Westminster	43	33
Dawson	18	-10
Seattle	44	36
Portland	46	36
San Francisco	56	44
Kamloops	54	28
Prince George	42	26
Kelowna	55	
Penticton	54	30
Vernon	53	30
Grand Forks	46	--
Nelson	46	--
Kaslo	46	28
Calgary	50	28
Edmonton	50	28
Prince Albert	42	22
Moose Jaw	56	28
Qu'Appelle	46	22
Winnipeg	48	36
Toronto	41	33
Ottawa	30	10
St. John	36	12
Halifax	38	30

Japanese Planes Raid South China

Airfields at Nanchang Bombed; Chinese Guerillas Active on Wide Front

SHANGHAI (AP) — Eighty Japanese naval planes in a sudden thrust into the south China province of Kiangsi Thursday bombed the Chinese airfield at Nanchang.

Sweeping over the field in relays, the Japanese destroyed the airdrome and six Chinese planes, they said. Another, newer airdrome there also was bombed.

Meanwhile, on the north central front, Chinese guerillas were harassing Japanese through a wide area of Shantung province, Americans reported today from Tsingtao.

MERCHANTS KILLED

Four Japanese merchants were killed at Fantze, a mail truck driver was shot at Weishsien, and frequent cutting of the Tsinan railroad has resulted in irregular service.

Japanese, continuing their drive down the Tientsin-Jukow railway, claimed today to have dominated the fortified section of walled Tenghsien in Shantung and said 40,000 Chinese defenders had retreated 16 miles south.

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Dr. Foerester To Take New Position

NANAIMO (CP)—Dr. Russell E. Foerster has resigned from his position as chief biologist of the Pacific Biological Station at nearby Departure Bay to work with the International Fraser River sockeye salmon commission.

Dr. Foerster came to Departure Bay station in 1921 as a summer investment. In the summers of 1922 and 1923 he studied conditions in Harrison and Cultus Lakes on the lower mainland for propagation of sockeye salmon.

When he received his Ph.D. from the University of Toronto in the spring of 1924 he was appointed to the permanent staff of the Pacific station, and placed in charge of the salmon research field station at Cultus Lake.

Dr. Foerster has been president of the Upper Island Musical Festival Association for some years.

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minion had taken $74,860,000 from British Columbia with a population of 780,000 in this levy, compared to $74,401,000 from the three Maritime Provinces, Alberta and Saskatchewan combined, with a total population of 2,767,000. In these same years federal grants to B.C. were $16,750,000 and to the other five provinces $99,374,000.

In the current fiscal year, he said, it was estimated the Dominion would collect more income tax from British Columbia, with its 780,000 population, than from the entire six Maritime and prairie provinces with total population of 3,500,000.

From 1918 to 1937, he showed, the Dominion had taken $74,806,000 in income taxes from B.C. and the provincial treasury $84,380,000, and in the last two fiscal years the Dominion collections actually exceeded those of the province.

Mr. Farris conceded that total cash incomes in British Columbia might be larger than in the other western provinces, but pointed out that this province did not have so many farmers earning subsistence incomes, and that the higher cost of upkeep in this province must be considered.

RESTRICTED REVENUE

"It is submitted," said Mr. Farris, "that it was recognized at Confederation that when the provinces surrendered their customs and excise duties, which were their principle source of revenue and were restricted to the field of direct taxation, it was intended that this field would would be available to a province at least to the extent necessary to meet its cost of government."

"If this contention is correct, it follows that the Dominion's right to invade this field, if at all, is subordinate to the prior right of the province, and that not until the province has satisfied its needs from this source should the Dominion collect income tax in that province.

"Not only has the Dominion violated this principle in British Columbia, but it does not even permit the taxpayer to deduct his provincial income tax in computing his federal taxable income."

Mr. Farris said there might be reasons for the other provinces, except Ontario and Quebec, wishing to concede the income tax to the Dominion, so that it could get income from those two highly-protected provinces for the benefit of Canada as a whole, but no such reason justified the big collections in B.C.

"The income tax is bleeding us white, and we can't keep it up," he said.

As for customs, excise, sales tax and other levies, it was estimated that in 1935-36, the Dominion collections from B.C. amounted to $21,452,000, as closely as it could be figured.

TARIFF

Just as important, Mr. Farris continued, was the incidence of the tariff on goods purchased in the province from other parts of Canada.

He said he was not arguing against removal of tariff protection or even lower tariffs. But he thought that in making new financial arrangements with the provinces the drain on British Columbia should be considered.

On automobiles, for instance, it was estimated that out of $11,500,000 paid by British Columbians last year $3,450,000 was excess price due to the tariffs. This same principle applied to industries generally.

"It follows," he said, "that the tariff is a form of subsidy which while given directly to industries is in effect a contribution to the development of the provinces whose industries benefit thereunder.

"If this subsidy were paid directly out of the Dominion treasury in the form of bounties to particular industries in particular provinces it would be comparatively easy to determine how such bounties should be distributed in an equitable manner among the several provinces, having regard to the resources and needs of their populations.

"A tariff subsidy, however, is not paid out in revenues. It frequently has the effect of contracting revenues. It is paid by those who consume the commodities manufactured by the protected industry, so that the real burden of paying the subsidy may fall upon provinces which do not share either directly or indirectly in the industrial development it is designed to promote."

BARCELONA NINE TIMES BOMBED

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six night attacks when the daylight bombardment started.

At 7.45 a.m. came a new rain of death from the sky. Rescue squads rushed out to probe the debris, only to be driven to cover at 10.25 when bombs started falling again in the central part of the city.

In this eighth raid explosives blasted apart homes in a poor residential district. There five or six buildings six stories high collapsed.

One bomb made a direct hit on a shoe factory and 12 workers were killed, crushed by heavy wooden beams that tumbeld about their heads.

Women wept in the streets as dead and wounded were pulled out of tenement ruins.

KILLED AT STATION

In the first daylight raid most of the victims were caught at the entrance of a subway station on their way to work.

One missile struck the city's largest luxury hotel, housing many foreigners, but apparently none was hurt. The ballroom, where gay tea dances were held, was demolished.

At one hospital an Associated Press correspondent saw blood-streaked floors and blood-soaked stretchers. The wounded were brought in so fast doctors and nurses were unable to care for them immediately. As a result the injured were crowded in the corridors.

Most of them appeared dazed or unconscious. Some asked what had happened. Others just groaned.

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BRITAIN HEARS CABINET IS SPLIT

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Chamberlain 48 hours to make a firm declaration of British support for Czechoslovakia and adopt a more positive policy toward Spain.

The full British cabinet membership is 22.

TALK OF ELECTION

A general election was considered a certainty should the cabinet resign.

In the event of Mr. Hore-Belisha leaving the cabinet with one or more of his colleagues political authorities said the resignation of the entire cabinet would be inevitable. They pointed to the key position held by the War Secretary in the government's defence plans.

Mr. Hore-Belisha—about whom many of the early rumors clustered—is said to feel the present nonintervention policy is leaving Spain at the mercy of Italy and Germany and endangering the security of Gibraltar.

He is believed to have the support of the Imperial General Staff, the chief of which is General Viscount Gort, V.C., whom Mr. Hore-Belisha promoted over the heads of more than 20 senior generals in the recent shake-up.

PREMIER WARNED

The Associated Press reported a committee of Conservative members of Parliament headed by Winston Churchill had warned Prime Minister Chamberlain to change his foreign policy quickly if he wished to retain their support.

Reliable sources told the Associated Press Mr. Churchill and Robert J. Boothby, Conservative, would lead about 50 supporters of the National Government across the floor of the House in opposition unless the government makes the clear-cut statement demanded.

Sir Samuel Hoare, Home Secretary, went to Buckingham Palace to see the King while Mr. Chamberlain, in the House of Commons, refused to make a statement as to whether Great Britain would fulfil her obligations under the League covenant in the event of armed conflict in western Europe.

BALDWIN MENTIONED

The Associated Press said:

"Labor Party circles discussed the possibility of Prime Minister Chamberlain's resignation within 48 hours in favor of an interim government, to be headed by his predecessor, Earl Baldwin."

Mr. Churchill's name was also mentioned as a possible successor to the Premiership should the cabinet fall. His strong stand in favor of collective security and the League of Nations was said to have swung Labor and Liberal sentiment towards him.

Labor Party men continued to declare they would have nothing to do with a union government headed by Neville Chamberlain.

EDEN MAY RETURN

The Associated Press said:

"The War Secretary's demand, informed sources said, confronts Prime Minister Chamberlain with a virtual ultimatum and foreshadows the possible recall of Earl Baldwin and the resigned foreign secretary, Anthony Eden, to lead the Conservative forces."

(The former Prime Minister is at present in southern France and is known to have been in touch there with Mr. Eden.)

"The informants said Mr. Chamberlain faced the difficult choice of radically changing his foreign policy to reassert Britain's age-old support of the balance of power or accepting the resignation of younger cabinet members."

POLICY OVER SPAIN

Prime Minister Chamberlain's decision to continue his policy of nonintervention in Spain won the support of the House, 317 to 141, Wednesday night. The vote was on an opposition motion to adjourn the House because of the cabinet's policy of "perpetual drift."

Mr. Chamberlain told the House Britain must not "burn our fingers" on Spain, but must continue nonintervention which will "best serve peace, best serve the cause of freedom."

He characterized as only rumors reports of fresh foreign reinforcements for the insurgents while Viscount Halifax, Foreign Secretary, told the House of Lords an insurgent victory "would not necessarily be against the interests" of Great Britain.

It was understood by the Associated Press that both David Lloyd George, who left London today for the Riviera, and Winston Churchill, were planning to discuss matters with Mr. Eden in the south of France, where he is on holiday.

Two opposition newspapers called for the Prime Minister's resignation unless he is willing to change his foreign policy.

"The nation is tired of running away," said the London News-Chronicle, Liberal. "Let us stand here, and if Mr. Chamberlain will not lead the stand, let him give way to some one who will."

"His continuance in office is a danger for this country and for international peace," declared the London Daily Herald, Labor. "If he can be forced to resign, taking his policies with him, then there is still a good chance of securing rapid improvement or world affairs."

The Manchester Guardian, Liberal, said:

"Hitler's further plans in central Europe are not known, but warlike preparations in Austria are not at all reassuring. They will certainly come to a military arrangement with Hungary. She is almost as helpless as Austria was.

"Germany will also try to break up the Little Entente (Czechoslovakia, Roumania and Jugoslavia) and come to terms with Roumania, for she needs the Roumanian oil supply.

"If she and Italy are established in Spain, the western powers will be so weakened by the menace to their own security and to their lines of communication that Germany's near eastern and north African plans will receive powerful stimulus. . . .

"It will not be enough merely to abandon the policy of non-intervention; it will be necessary to counteract the attempt of the two powers to gain a foothold in an area that is of vital importance to the security of the British Commonwealth no less than to that of France."

CONDITIONS OF UNION

The London Star, Liberal, said that although both the Labor and Liberal opposition groups would be ready to join in a national union government in a grave crisis, they would make it conditional on the following action:

1. Resignation of Mr. Chamberlain.
2. Immediate scrapping of the Spanish-nonintervention policy.
3. Dispatch of a categoric warning to Premier Mussolini and Chancellor Hitler.
4. An appeal to the democratic and peaceful nations looking toward creation of a collective peace system based on mutual guarantees against any aggression by the dictatorships.

GERMAN REWARDS FOR ITALY'S SUPPORT ARE NOW RUMORED

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ritory in Ethiopia. Unless she is able to keep the seaway open Italy cannot send reinforcements to Libya.

EYES NOW ON SPAIN

Now the chancelleries in Europe are pondering what Germany and Italy will do in Spain if Gen. Franco wins. There, it is felt, lies the solution of the enigma of Mussolini's price.

There is seen the probability that in recognition of his assistance to Gen. Franco, Mussolini will be granted authority to establish air bases along the Spanish coast which, should war come, would threaten British communications via the Mediterranean.

A report from Moscow asserts that by agreement between Berlin and Rome, Italy is to get a very large part of Jugoslavian Dalmatia.

Uneasiness grows in Britain. Pressure increases on the government to make a clear, specific statement of policy.

B.C. WINS RIGHT TO ARGUE CASE ON "BETTER TERMS"

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compartively speaking, for the same reason.

Next point dealt with by Mr. Farris was that B.C. had been unfairly treated by comparison with the other provinces. There are three main grants, first debt allowances, second subsidies and third, special grants.

In substance, the government's argument was that if the proper terms on debt allowances had been accepted British Columbia would have received $6,721,208 more than it has got since 1871 on this account and $1,134,616 more for per capita allowances.

This is based largely on the claim that an arbitrary population basis of 120,000 persons should have been used in computing the allowances instead of 60,000. The population at the time was 34,100, but both sides conceded British Columbia was entitled to figure its allowances on a higher basis because of its peculiar conditions.

Mr. Farris argued that both the Saskatchewan and Alberta allowances had been computed on a much higher proportionate population basis than B.C., but J. W. Dafoe of the commission disputed Mr. Farris's figures, pointing out that these provinces were growing rapidly at the time they entered Canada and claimed even higher populations than they were allowed for computing the grants.

Out of various adjustments since Confederation had arisen the situation that on the actual populations of 1931 census, B.C.'s debt allowance was $2.92 per capita; Alberta's $11.08, Saskatchewan's $8.80 and Manitoba's $10.90

The discrepancy in the interest paid on the debt allowances was even greater. On the total amounts paid to March 31, 1936, British Columbia's interest amounted per capita to $2.74, and went up to as high as $30.01 for Prince Edward Island, only Ontario and Quebec being slightly lower than B.C.

Mr. Farris said that the special 80 cents per capita allowance supposed to pay for local services, had totaled since 1871 the sum of $13,843,598 while the services had cost $185,101,642, leaving an adverse balance of $171,258,044 to which should be added $30,447,905 spent on unemployment relief.

Besides the original detriment to B.C. on the per capita grant this province suffered further, by comparison with the prairie provinces, because it was readjusted every 10 years after the regular census, while the prairies were have received $1,940,865 in total adjusted every five years. Mr. Farris estimated that B.C. would five years.

In various special grants British Columbia had suffered, he said. These grants amounted to $12.96 per capita in B.C., $22.17 in Alberta, $20.10 in Saskatchewan, $30.02 in Manitoba, and similar amounts in the Maritimes.

Asked to give comparative figures for Quebec and Ontario, Mr. Farris said British Columbia compared its position to Ontario and Quebec on a different basis which he would outline later.

Ontario and Quebec actually received no special grants, Chairman Rowell pointed out.

Mr. Farris submitted a table showing that except for Prince Edward Island, British Columbia had received less than any other province.

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TACOMA (AP)—Three stubborn fires last night did more than $130,000 damage to Tacoma buildings and called into service every available city fireman before they were brought under control.

A two-hour blaze virtually destroyed the Cooney Transfer and Store Co. warehouse, another swept through the Pioneer Auto Works. Another fire broke out at the Outlet Clothing Store.

BLUM CABINET GIVEN CHAMBER CONFIDENCE VOTE

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000,000 and 4,000,000,000 francs (about $90,000,000 to $120,000,000).

Most of the extraordinary outlay authorized today was outside the 1938 budget for France's armed forces. Of it 3,465,000,000 francs (about $98,000,000) will be spent on the air force.

Armament expenditures contemplated under the 1938 budget up to now total 25,945,405,856 francs (about $778,362,000).

The air force, it is expected, will be enabled to order 1,000 new fighting planes immediately. The 1,000,000,000 francs remaining after the air force appropriation was divided 400,000,000 to the Navy Ministry and 600,000,000 to the War Ministry.

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Blind Editor Of Charlottetown Dies

CHARLOTTETOWN, (CP)—Donald K. Currie, 82, associate editor of the Charlottetown Guardian and one of the oldest newspapermen in Prince Edward Island, died at his home Wednesday. He has been blind since 1925.

B.C. Position Claimed Unfair

Farris Presses Case For "Better Terms" to Rowell Commission

The B.C. government concentrated its argument before the Rowell commission yesterday afternoon on its historic claim for "better terms" in Confederation, subject of repeated submissions to Ottawa over the last 40 years.

Senator J. W. de B. Farris, K.C., counsel for the province, spent the whole afternoon reviewing the 10 different occasions the case had been taken to Ottawa and arguing that the grant allowances made to the province in 1871 to carry on local costs of government are inadequate for modern times.

Chief Justice Rowell suggested that all provinces probably faced a similar situation and that the argument was more in favor of a general review of the financial arrangements than for special treatment to British Columbia.

"Yes, but we claim we are in an unfair position with the others," said Mr. Farris, "and are entitled to adjustment in so far as there is a variation in our position with that of other provinces."

INTERIM SUBSIDY

The justice of the claim was recognized by an interim subsidy payment of $750,000 a year allowed in 1934, Mr. Farris pointed out. Some permanency in the claim is now sought.

"Hasn't the experience usually been that when temporary grants of this nature are made they usually become permanent?" said Chief Justice Rowell with a smile.

Mr. Farris made the point that B.C., which was perhaps regarded as a drawback to Canada when it entered Confederation, had turned out to be one of the Dominion's chief assets.

He claimed that the federal grants to B.C., amounting in 1872 to 30 per cent of the combined provincial and municipal expenditure, now amounted to only 3.1 per cent. In 1872 they were $214,000, against expenditure of $755,461; in 1935-36 they were $1,624,561 against expenditures of $51,685,000.

Going back through the "better terms" fight started by Hon. James Dunsmuir in 1900, carried on by Hon. E. G. Prior in 1903, and Sir Richard McBride in 1906. Mr. Farris recited at length from the brief prepared by McBride for a promised Royal Commission in 1913 which was postponed because of the war.

Mr. Farris delved back into Canadian history to quote on one hand Sir Charles Tupper in 1869 as saying that the financial clauses of the B.N.A. Act in their original form were never meant to be permanent, and on the other Sir Alexander Galt as saying that "abundant provision" was made for administering local affairs. And he quoted Sir Wilfrid Laurier in 1907 saying that Lower Canada and the Maritimes would never have entered Confederation if they had had to resort to direct taxation to carry on their affairs.

Mr. Farris said he would not use the argument that because so much federal revenue was collected in British Columbia it should be alloeated back to the province in expenditure. This, he said, was a sectional view. The expenditures made by Canada in any province were presumed to be for the benefit of Canada as a whole.

In showing how the costs of government had mounted out of all proportion to the ideas of the Fathers of Confederation, Mr. Farris cited the bills for several government functions.

In 1878 social services in B.C. cost 6 cents per capita; in 1936, 50 cents.

Medical services costing 52 cents per capita in 1876, rose to $2.81 in 1936. Charitable allowances, 33 cents in 1876, were up to $2.18; education costs from $1.12 to $4.87 and administration of justice from $1.38 to $1.74.

On these services the total per capita cost increased from $3.41 in 1876 to $15.22 in 1926 and were down again to $12.10 in 1936.

Will Appear in Irish Play Tonight

Members of the cast of "Applesauce," which will be presented by the Irish Players at the Empire Theatre tonight in aid of the funds of St. Louis College are shown above and are, from left to right, standing: Richard Gatehouse, Honor Benson, Arthur Leonard and Walter Crawley; sitting, Mary Black, James McGrath, the director, and Norah O'Connell. Last night the play was presented before a capacity audience at the Strand Theatre in Nanaimo and was keenly enjoyed.

Vancouver Men Lose Relief

Group of 200 Capable of Light Work Thrown On Own Resources

VANCOUVER (CP) — More than 200 single unemployed men, capable of light work, have learned they will be thrown on their own resources as a result of the new relief agreement between the British Columbia government and the city of Vancouver.

Attention to their plight was drawn Wednesday when a special civic committee was asked to provide for 484 single unemployed, who will receive provincial relief until the new regulations come into effect.

The committee agreed to give relief to about half the number—ex-service men over 50 and civilians over 55.

Under the government's policy the men are a civic charge, but the city council declines to accept responsibility for single men under 50 who are physically fit.

Pacific-peace Railway Debate

OTTAWA (CP)—Rene Pelletier, Social Credit, Peace River, Alta., today placed on the House of Commons votes and proceedings notice of a resolution suggesting desirability of considering a railway connection between the Peace River country of Alberta and the British Columbia coast.

Mr. Pelletier's resolution reads: "That in the opinion of this House it is desirable that the government should consider the advisability of connecting the Peace River country by direct railway outlet to the Pacific coast."

The Peace River country now has a rail connection between Whitelaw and Edmonton via Peace River over a line of the Northern Alberta Railway. The line is approximately 350 miles long, running roughly northwest out of Edmonton.

Says Chairman Should Resign

Trustee A. E. Hull Denies Charges Made By Saanich School Board Member

As a culmination to a series of charges he presented verbally Trustee Dr. Stanley F. Miles last night demanded the resignation of Trustee A. E. Hull, chairman of the Saanich School Board.

Trustee Hull denied the allegations and refused to resign. At the suggestion of Trustee Nathaniel Gray, Trustee Miles agreed to put his charges in writing and have a copy available for each member of the board to be dealt with at the next meeting.

During a heated debate on the allegations Trustee Miles and Martin Dawson challenged Trustee William Tomes, veteran member of the board, to resign and stand election with them to determine which had the confidence of the people.

Trustee Miles' charges were that Trustee Hull had been negligent in making certain inquiries regarding corporal punishment at Mount View High School and had told William Garner, principal of the school, that Trustees Miles and Dawson were "out to cause trouble" in Saanich school matters; that Saanich schools had been allowed to fall into a state of disrepair, that certain students were lowering the morale of Mount View and that the board had been lax in its duties in the past.

He requested that Mount View be put under his jurisdiction in place of Strawberry Vale.

Trustee Hull denied the charge of negligence against him which resulted from inquiries made by Trustees Dawson and Miles regarding the use of a certain strap at Mount View which the latter claimed was not the regulation strap.

Trustee Tomes said he had always been under the impression the board's work was satisfactory and challenged either of the new trustees (Trustees Miles and Dawson) to show where he had been lax in his duty.

It was at this juncture that Trustee Miles suggested he and Trustee Tomes resign to determine which had the public confidence and Trustee Dawson also offered to do the same thing.

Sunday School To Mark Anniversary

The most important of the events in this year's celebrations commemorating the 13th anniversary of St. Mary's Sunday School, Oak Bay, will be a service of praise and thanksgiving to be held in St. Mary's Church next Sunday morning commencing at 9.30. With the consent of the rector men who acted as superintendents from 1908 to the present will take part in the service. Archdeacon Nunns will preach the sermon.

Special invitations to attend with their boys and girls have been sent to the parents of the present scholars. It is also hoped that as far as possible all who have been associated with the Sunday School since its formation, whether as teacher or scholar, will join in this special service.

Imperial Veterans Under New Name

A change in name of the Imperial Veterans' Association to the British Veterans' Old Comrades' Association, was announced at a meeting of the association in the Knights of Columbus Hall last evening. The change followed a notification from Vancouver stating that the charter had been granted by the Secretary of State.

It was decided to hold a tag day on Saturday April 23.

Plans were discussed for a convention in the near future, probably in Vancouver, Dominion headquarters.

Major J. B. Harding, chairman, welcomed 15 new members who were initiated.

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MAY RESTORE LABOR GROUP

Move Launched to Re-establish B.C. Federation of Labor

Impetus to a move to re-establish the British Columbia Federation of Labor was given by the Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council last night. The secretary was instructed to communicate with the Vancouver Trades and Labor Council to reopen negotiations.

The council heard a report to the effect that union carpenters in this city would receive an increase of 5 cents an hour in the wage scale effective May 1, with another equal increase starting on September 1.

At the conclusion of the business, Thomas Ewan, Vancouver, addressed delegates on the application of the padlock law in Quebec.

NEW SCHOOL AT CRESTON

CRESTON, B.C. (CP)—Creston ratepayers voted Wednesday 64 to 25 in favor of a plan to build an $80,000 fifteen-room junior and senior high school, part of the school consolidation scheme entered into by eight rural districts in this area.

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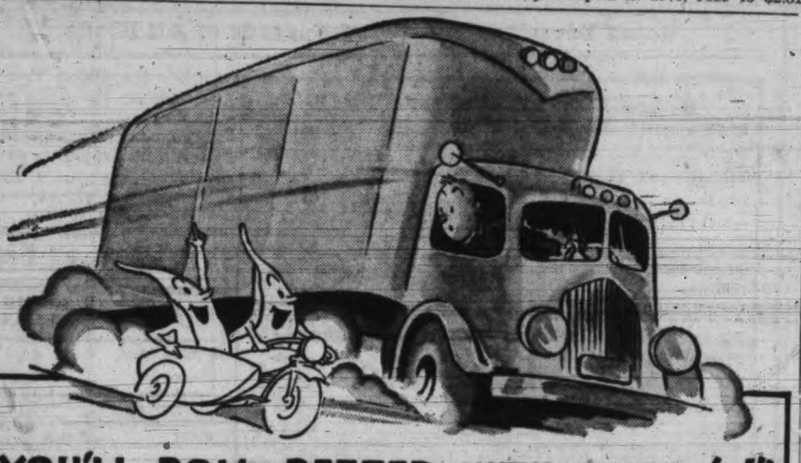
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Chamberlain To Go?

ASSOCIATED PRESS CORRESPONdents in London have been informed that a vigorous demand is about to be made on the British Government for a change in its foreign policy. They tell us that Rt. Hon. Leslie Hore-Belisha, 41-year-old Secretary of State for War, is responsible for presenting to Prime Minister Chamberlain a virtual ultimatum. It is even suggested that former Premier Baldwin and former Foreign Secretary Eden might be recalled to lead the Conservative party. Associated with the Minister for War in what has the appearance of a miniature revolt in "high places" are Secretary for the Dominions Malcolm MacDonald, Secretary for Scotland Walter Elliot, and Minister of Agriculture William Shepherd Morrison. If what the Associated Press correspondents have heard today, therefore, should be confirmed, Mr. Chamberlain will have a first-class domestic problem on his hands which, for the time being, will dwarf in importance the political game of chess of which Reichsfuehrer Hitler and Signor Mussolini are in charge on the continent.

Today's report is embellished with the plain statement from sources usually well informed that War Minister Hore-Belisha has given his leader 48 hours in which to make up his mind. Apparently, what Mr. Chamberlain is being called upon to decide first of all is whether he is ready to agree to change his foreign policy, to reassert Britain's age-old support of the balance of power—apart from the merits or demerits of that policy—or accept the resignation of some of the younger members of his cabinet who belong to a school of political thought which hates indecision like the devil hates holy water.

Mr. Hore-Belisha obviously is the leader of this school. As Minister of Transport, he revolutionized his department and startled the natives; as Secretary of State for War, he horrified the elder gentry of the "brave, distending nostrils" brigade when he modified the traditional custom of advancement by seniority. Can it be that this comparative "youngster" in the cloistered halls of political tradition is about to kick up more "dust"? At any rate, today's accounts of the reported "movement" indicate that the active minds of the cabinet are not in the mood to tolerate a ministerial outlook which seems incapable of recognizing the inescapable fact that events are marching quickly—that they demand definite and prompt decisions.

It is true, of course, that Prime Minister Chamberlain's decision to continue his policy of nonintervention in Spain won the support of the House by 317 to 141; but that was on an opposition motion to adjourn the sitting because of the cabinet's policy of "perpetual drift"—insufficiently definite to decide a vital issue. War Minister Hore-Belisha, however, seems to have made his objective an immediate overhauling of foreign policy generally, and in particular that part of it which may tend to leave Spain at the mercy of Italy and Germany—and make Gibraltar untenable for the British Empire. He is patently dissatisfied, moreover, with the government's failure to make clear its attitude toward Hitler's expected political designs on Czechoslovakia.

But, no matter what may be the outcome of the present troubled state of Continental Europe, the Chamberlain government of Great Britain, judged by its dealings with Germany and Italy, its removal of Rt. Hon. Anthony Eden from the Foreign Office, its flirtations with Rome and Berlin, will not earn from the historian a very high place on the credit side of the ledger of foreign policy. How far War Minister Hore-Belisha has driven, or intends to drive, his protest against the cabinet's evident vacillating procedure may be known before this is read. It is safe to assume, however, that if four, or more, members of the ministry should resign, it is hardly likely Mr. Chamberlain would content himself with a mere "reorganization" of his ministry.

Senator McRae Sidesteps

SAYS SENATOR GENERAL A. D. McRAE: "I'm past 60, and having a fine time farming on Vancouver Island." This was his reply to an interviewer from the Toronto Star who queried the former organizer of the Conservative Party of Canada whether he expected to fill that role again.

Senator McRae also said "the Conservative Party is sick," and when asked who he thought should be leader he sidestepped and observed that he thought "most highly, without reserve or qualification, of Arthur Meighen." The interviewer had to be content with this enigmatic rejoinder and a suggestion that the question of leadership soon would be discussed at a party meeting in Ottawa.

There is no doubt about the frail health of the Conservative Party. Strong partizans, influential Conservative newspapers all over the country, independent journals which quite properly understand the value of a real working opposition in any Parliament, for many months were telling Mr. Bennett to get busy with a new platform or turn over the job of constructing one to somebody else. The latter he has now done, leaving both platform and leadership as tough problems for the party.

Hitler's Balance Sheet

TO BRING THE RECORD UP TO DATE, as well as to emphasize his speed of achievement, we present the following chronological table of Adolf Hitler's advance:

Wanted	Achieved
Rule Over Germany	Jan. 30, 1933
Suppression of Communism	Feb. 27, 1933
Abolition of Opposition (Concentration Camps)	Feb. 28, 1933
Government by Decree	March 23, 1933
Unification of the Reich	April 7, 1933
Complete Control of Press	Jan. 4, 1933
Labor Front Instead of Trade Unions	May 10, 1935
Head of State Title for Hitler	Aug. 19, 1934
Conscription	March 16, 1935
Return of Saar	Jan. 13, 1935
Nuremberg Laws	Sept. 15, 1935
Swastika Flag as National Symbol	Sept. 7, 1935
Remilitarization of Rhineland	March 7, 1936
Big Navy (Pact with Britain)	June 18, 1935
Four-year Economic Plan	Jan. 1, 1937
Nazi Control of Danzig	Aug., 1937
Anti-Communist Pact with Japan	Nov. 25, 1936
Adding of Italian Signature	Nov. 6, 1937
Control of Reichswehr	Feb. 4, 1938
Surrender of Austria	Feb. 16, 1938
Incorporation of Austria	March 13, 1938
Return of Colonies	Not Yet Achieved
Return of Polish Corridor	Not Yet Achieved
Anschluss with Germans in Czechoslovakia	Not Yet Achieved
Control of Church Affairs in Nazi Sense	Not Yet Achieved

Not a Dud Commission

CANADIANS HAVE COME TO BE SKEPtical of Royal Commissions. A few such inquiries, however, have justified themselves in providing means whereby inequities have come to light and adjustments made. Canadian business places in this worthwhile group the Duncan Commission on the Maritimes and thinks the Rowell Commission is earning a right to a similar place. For these reasons:

First, there is, generally, a ready acquiescence of the Rowell Commission, indicating a sincere belief in the need for ascertaining the facts about Dominion-Provincial relations.

Second, the vast crop of constructive suggestions already made to the Commission reveal a serious need for change in our financial and economic set-up.

Third, there is a better than average response among Canadians to assist organized economic and public bodies which are now co-ordinating facts and opinions for presentation. The job of making proposals is not being left to governments alone, because business and other organizations are showing an active desire to give authoritative data about their own problems.

Fourth, there is evidence of an honest endeavor to find a solution of our internal financial problems and of a give-and-take attitude among those provincial and economic interests which have so far appeared before the Commission. To date, every brief presented has emphasized that some change is needed.

Bock Beer Ban

IN GERMANY AS ELSEWHERE IT IS getting along toward spring. But in that once happy country there is a note of melancholy in the chirpings of the first brave birds, the breezes are less balmy, the hills less green, the skies less blue. And sadder still, the gullets of all good Germans are dry and the eyes are moist. A Nazi decree has forbidden the brewing of bock beer.

Now the order has the worthy nationalistic goal of preserving barley so that livestock may be fed, but just the same there is grave doubt that lager-loving Germans will receive it happily. There is even a chance that they will raise their voices against Herr Hitler—something they have not done so far, even when they heard the bad news of the "guns instead of butter" manifesto.

Many Germans are going to be peeved with Herr Hitler. And how about girthy General Goering? He did not get all that front from sipping lemonade. There must have been some good old Muenchener as well.

Notes

California is recovering from its rain of terror.

From London now daily is broadcast an air program especially for the Arabs. It opens with the traditional tolling of the hour by Abou Big Ben.

A drop from 78.4 to 77.9 in the retail food prices index, influenced by reductions in the price of eggs, lard, canned vegetables and pork, constituted the chief factor in the slight easing of the cost of living in Canada during February. Bureau of Statistics returns show that following a sharp advance in the latter half of 1937, retail food prices reversed direction and have moved downward since the first of the year. Wholesale food prices have been declining for several months and are still falling, with the renewed slump in wheat since the first of this month probably due to take them still lower.

PEERAGE AMBITION

From Toronto Star

If Mr. Bennett goes to England to live, there will be no barrier to his accepting a title if it is recommended by the British Government. The Canadian ban is on titles for persons ordinarily resident in Canada. It would not be surprising to find Mr. Bennett in the House of Lords.

FORECAST

From News-Week

One well-known Wall Street bear who once made a killing by selling movie stocks short has bet $10,000 that the stock market will swing upward and begin to assume boom proportions before late March.

Loose Ends

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

HEADLINES

AT TIMES OF stress like this it is curious to note how rapidly the public mind darts about. Only a few weeks ago everybody was talking about Japan and, indeed, if the public clamor had continued much longer, it might have been necessary to fight Japan to satisfy it. Now, everybody is talking about Germany, and Japan is almost forgotten. For the present, at least, Japan can conquer the rest of China and few people here will bother about it. And I dare say if Mussolini goes into Egypt we shall forget all about Hitler and the rape of Austria.

It is easy for the public to work itself up that way, and if you doubt the power of the press, just watch how people react to headlines. Supposing, for example, that the press had been asleep on the job or otherwise occupied and had played down the rape of Austria. Supposing the papers, controlled and censored as in the fascist countries, had run only dull, matter-of-fact stories, saying that the European economy, disrupted by the Treaty of Versailles, was rebuilding itself along natural economic and racial lines. Supposing a controlled press had said Austria had been annexed to Germany but this had been expected by everyone for years, and was inevitable. Then people wouldn't have been excited. They would have taken the whole thing as a matter of course.

But when Hitler insisted on dramatizing his dirty work, screaming from balconies, and the newspapers properly caught the drama of it, why then, of course, the history and the economics were forgotten. Only the politics and the excitement remained, and instantly people in Esquimalt were talking in the beer parlors about the world war next week, and people in Saanich were sowing an extra row of potatoes.

I talked to a number of leading British Columbians about the European situation today and they all reflected the mass excitement which is latent in all of us and easily roused. One of the chief thinkers of British Columbia said he expected something like the Thirty Years' War, which left Europe prostrate for generations. Nothing, he said, could prevent it—and then he went on to talk about the problems of the Rowell Commission, as if they mattered.

The most interesting comment on the world situation came from two eminent educators.

"Well," said the first educator, looking very grave, like a man who is giving a final and unalterable opinion, "the way I look at it is, I hope we don't have a world conflagration, that's all."

After thinking this opinion over for several minutes, the second educator said: "I hope so, too."

Yes, a lot of deep thinking is going on these days.

SCIENTIFIC NOTE

A SCIENTIFIC experiment of some importance has been proceeding next door. The little boy who lives there extracted from my lily pond a curious jelly-like substance which looked like tapioca, but when he attempted to put it on his sister's dessert at dinner it didn't taste like tapioca. It tasted like frogs' eggs, and you know, of course, how frogs' eggs taste.

So the frogs' eggs were removed to a glass jar, which was stood in the sun, and for some time nothing happened. The scientist next door grew rather skeptical of the whole experiment and said it was absurd to imagine that frogs ever came out of tapioca. But presently, to universal astonishment, something did happen in the glass jar. The little boy came running over here, purple-faced, to blurt out: "They're wiggling! They're wiggling hard!"

Yes, they were wiggling. A curious little black thing was wiggling beside one of the frogs' eggs as if trying to detach itself, and we watched it wiggle for two days.

Meanwhile, all the frogs in the neighborhood clamored nightly as if they were aware that a new life was coming among them. A few days ago the wiggling object detached itself from the egg and began to swim about in the glass jar with a tourist's look of interest in the surroundings. They still find it difficult next door to believe that this insignificant object will turn into a real frog like the ones whose voices can be heard a mile away.

"There's something funny about this," said the little boy from next door. "How could that jelly come to life?"

"It's nature," said his sister. "Don't you know about nature?"

"Yes," said he, "but how can it turn a piece of jelly into a pollywog, that's what I want to know. One minute it's jelly and then it's alive. There's something funny about it."

"That's God's way of doing things," said she, "and you shouldn't be unholy and ask questions, especially on account of it's Lent and I've given up potatoes."

"There's something mighty funny about it, just the same," said he. "Look at him wiggle, though. I'll bet he wishes he was jelly again."

"Don't be so unholy," said she.

WHO'S TO BLAME?

Butterfield in Vancouver Province

It is pertinent at the moment to remember with humility that whatever may happen in Europe it was Britain and France who were directly responsible for setting up and maintaining the conditions that made Hitler and Mussolini possible. At Versailles they set up a treaty that would have made Pitt laugh, and they have at intervals since aggravated their attitude.

The Congress of Vienna at the final defeat of Napoleon, terminating not four but 15 years of war, did not set up any difficult terms against the French; rather were the allies content to secure the French markets for their products that had previously been closed to them by the Emperor. Thus there arose not only a prosperous England but a contented France.

Now, however, a vaunted democracy dominated by cold imperialists is faced with the possible destruction of that democracy before it has properly begun to function.

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CHILD PRODIGY

To the Editor:—In the March 12 Times you state that there are smart children in Nova Scotia. Yvonne Pedneault, who was born in Victoria on October 11, 28 months ago, started to talk before she was one year old. Today she can sing one verse of a Welsh song in Welsh. Neither her mother nor father were born in Wales. She can also sing one verse of "Daisy," and can count and hold a conversation. Her grandparents are Mrs. M. A. Lewis, 620 Seaforth Street, Victoria West, phone E 9755, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Pedneault of Elk Lake, Saanich.

She has an uncle, Jules Demers, who lives on Fort Street, Victoria, phone E 8948, who is related to Jean Kathleen Demers of Tracadie, Nova Scotia.

MR. and MRS. A. PEDENAULT.
Ganges, B.C.

EXPECTS GOVERNMENT MILK

To the Editor:—Raw milk as it comes from the cow is pure, and every source is government inspected. If milk is to be pasteurized it will tend to put milk into the hands of non-producers, and raise the price of milk out of reach of folks who have babies to raise.

Milk is wholesaled at a price which nearly paralyzes production—about 22 cents per gallon. After mucking it about, consumers pay over 100 per cent above this amount.

It would be wise for milk producers to get together. If the producer thinks he is making ends meet at a wholesale price, then why not give the ever-burdened consumer the milk at wholesale price, plus a nominal delivery charge?

My bet is the milk business in a short time will be made another function of government.

W. J. ROBINSON.
2903 Cook Street.

BIBLE AID OFF

To the Editor:—The British and Foreign Bible Society supplies a need we hardly realize the necessity of supplying, because we do not feel that need ourselves, so accustomed have we become to have the Bible always at hand for our guide, our comfort, and our inspiration. But if we really do appreciate, love, and are thankful for the Word of God, why are we so slow to bestow it upon others, especially among the people to whom our Missionaries are sent? Appeals are numerous, it is true, but in spite of all other calls, I am sure most of us could give, and would give, if we stopped to think of the reason for giving to the Bible Society.

Mr. Harkness, of the B.C. Bible Society, 593 Richards Street, Vancouver, said to me a few days ago that Victoria had "fallen down" in its contributions this year, but comforted me by adding, that on the whole B.C. had done pretty well. Since then he has received some gifts from Victoria, too late to be added to the funds of 1937.

This is just a few words to ask all who can to give what they can with prayers and thanksgiving to that wonderful society—the British and Foreign Bible Society—either direct to Mr. Harkness, or through their own collector in the Parish to which they belong.

CAROLINE MACKLEM.
1040 Linden Avenue.

Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "The man was hung."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "abattoir"?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Dogmatize, mercerise, merchandize.
4. What does the word "pedagogic" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with bla that means "flattering speech or action"?

ANSWERS

1. Say, "The man was hanged." "The picture was hung" is correct. 2. Pronounce ab-a-twar, third a as in ah, principal accent on last syllable. 3. Merchandise. 4. Pertaining to the science or art of teaching. "His book was too pedagogic to entertain the masses." 5. Blandishment.

Parallel Thoughts

For thou art my hope, O Lord God; thou art my trust from my youth.—Psalms 71:15.

There is a God in science, a God in history, and a God in conscience, and these three are one.—Joseph Cook.

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NEAR END OF BUDGET CUTS

Council Reduces Estimates to Within $1,466.54 of Its Objective

Taking advantage of the reduction of $12,000 promised by the school board in its ordinary expenditure total for 1938, the City Council in estimates committee yesterday afternoon cut its own votes by a net $7,209.68 to bring the city budget within $1,466.54 of the figure required to hold the mill rate at the 1937 level of 43½ mills.

When the council started on the budget draft it stood at a figure $90,000 above the amount which last year's rate would raise on the present assessment.

Pruning continued after debate had arisen over the method by which the trustees intended to make the $12,000 reduction.

Alderman James Adam asked from which votes the school board was taking the sum.

Alderman W. L. Morgan replied the council did not know, that it had no jurisdiction over the school board's actions in that respect.

Alderman Adam quoted a press item to the effect the sum would come from salaries. The council was forcing the board's hand, he felt.

Mayor McGavin and Alderman John Worthington, together with Aldermen B. J. Gadsden and Ed. Williams, said the matter was not the business of the council.

The committee struck $12,000 off the board's ordinary estimates as agreed upon the preceding day, before proceeding with the trustees extraordinary items listed at $6,360 in the school draft.

The complete extraordinary estimate was referred to the finance committee to take up with George H. Deane, municipal inspector, and board members for consideration, possibly this afternoon.

A vote of $139 was added to the city clerk's departmental estimate for a new encyclopoedia.

DEBATE HOSPITAL ISSUE

On the hospital vote, the committee debated the ability of the city to make a grant. H. S. Pringle stated the city was bound to pay at least 70 cents per patient-day for city cases.

Under the Municipal Act, D. A. Macdonald, city comptroller, stated the city was entitled to make a grant in lieu of a per patient-day payment, provided it was not less than 70 cents per patient-day.

Alderman Morgan stated last year's city grant amounted to approximately 93 cents per patient-day.

The vote was passed at $49,000, a figure $500 below the original draft. The figure also covered care by the Jubilee Hospital of tuberculosis cases.

Alderman Worthington remarked the grant of $8,000 for hospitals outside the city which treated city cases would have to meet 70 cents per patient-day charges on city cases they handled. Would the amount be sufficient, he asked.

It was only a guess, Mr. Macdonald said.

Approval was given a $1,795 estimate for a new car and general auto maintenance for the health department.

STREET WORK OUT

The street corner rounding estimate, calling for work on the Robertson, Ross and Richmond Road area, amounting to $3,837, was struck out, as were two others similar votes aggregating $824. Mayor McGavin gave the assurance a lump sum would be provided later for at least one project of that nature this year.

The $2,500 estimate for a new comfort station was deleted on a split vote.

An estimate of $3,888 for reconstruction of a storm sewer on Brook Street was eliminated and a new figure of $4,000 for work on Bowker Creek was added.

The City Hall building maintenance vote was increased $200 to $1,328.25 to improve lighting facilities in the collector's office.

HIGH STUDENTS PUT ON SKIT

A humorous skit "Cinderella," arranged by the Boys' Hi-Y Club, was staged in the Victoria High School gymnasium yesterday non at a "pep" meeting held for the purpose of advertising the annual Victoria High School gymnasium display which will be held Friday and Saturday nights.

The play was all done in pantomime with George Bishop doing the narrating. Kenneth Wills took the leading role of "Cinderella." Douglas Worthington was the fairy godmother, Ernie McMinn the king, Alfred Savage the queen, Alec Walker the prince, Donald Fields and Douglas Bailey were knights, Kenneth Wilson and Douglas Oddy were the two sisters, and Allan Merriman and Vincent Martin took the part of ladies.

Other items on the program were a saxophone solo, "Moon of Manakoora," by Bob Gonnason and community singing under the leadership of Ray Whitehouse and David Anstey to the tunes of "Tavern in the Town," and "Margy." Jack Pickford was the master of ceremonies and Royce Marshall made the announcement about the gymnasium display.

Evangelist Due Here Tomorrow

Aimee Semple McPherson, internationally known evangelist of Angelus Temple, Los Angeles, will visit Victoria tomorrow and will hold a public meeting in the Empire Theatre at 8 in the evening.

Mrs. McPherson is the founder and president of the Four-square organizations throughout Canada and the United States.

Accompanying Mrs. McPherson will be Dr. and Mrs. Giles Knight, vice-president and general manager of the United States organization, Dr. Anna D. Britton, vice-president and general supervisor of the Canadian organization, and Miss Ella Nordin, Mrs. McPherson's secretary.

SAYS C.C.F. OPPOSITION

Hon. G. S. Pearson Tells Nanaimo They Replaced Conservatives at Session

NANAIMO—The C.C.F., not the Conservatives, formed the real opposition in the last session of the Legislature, Hon. George S. Pearson, Minister of Labor and member for Nanaimo, said in a speech here this week.

Dr. Telford, however, he said, had done a lot of nagging, and Harold Winch he termed the "outstanding character" at the session. Mr. Winch, the minister said, realized how far he could go, was constructive and willing to assist in labor acts brought down. Any aid accepted from the C.C.F., he said, was because "we showed common sense."

Mr. Pearson paid tribute to the late Leader of the Opposition, Dr. F. P. Patterson.

New legislation enacted at the session was fully covered by Mr. Pearson, who told some of the benefits to be derived from it by the ordinary working man and woman.

Peter Inkster, vice-president of the Nanaimo Liberal Association, occupied the chair.

An enjoyable program was given, those taking part being Earl Piper, Nanaimo's premier boy soloist; Mrs. L. Jones and Dan Jones, duet; Mrs. Pearl Reynolds, vocal solo; Mrs. Levi Dendoff, piano solo; Mrs. Fred Vater, accompanist, and Homer Woodward, who provided music for dancing.

Refreshments were served by the Ladies' Liberal Forum.

HAPPY VALLEY

A bridge and 500 card party will be held Friday evening, March 18, in the school, the proceeds to benefit the hall improvement fund.

Dr. McCarter gave an illustrated address on the care of the teeth at the monthly meeting of the Happy Valley Parent-Teachers Association in the school Tuesday evening.

A report of the children's tea was made and of their contribution by quilt making to the local hall fund.

Mrs. A. Strathearn presided and thanked Dr. McCarter for his address.

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St. Joseph's Will Hold Shower

An unusually attractive musical program has been arranged by Mrs. Chas. E. Wilson for the annual linen shower to be held at the nurses' home of St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday afternoon, St. Joseph's Day, from 3 till 5.

Vocal solos will be contributed by Mrs. F. Grey Aldous, Miss Sheila Conway, Mr. Frank Ivings and Mr. Brian Renwick; a duet by Miss Conway and Miss Jean Burnett. Mrs. C. C. Warn will be the accompanist.

Guests will be welcomed by a reception committee including Mrs. C. H. O'Halloran, Mrs. James Adam, Mrs. G. F. Aylward and Mrs. J. E. Moore. Presiding at the prettily-decorated tea table will be Mrs. John Hart, Mrs. Frank M. MacPherson, Mrs. F. M. Bryant and Mrs. J. Villiers Fisher.

Mrs. Alex. McDernott is the general convener of the shower, and the Sisters will gratefully welcome pillow-slips, towels, serviettes or any other donations.

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Mannequins in Jubilee Juniors' Show

Some of the mannequins who took part in the Jubilee Junior W.A. style luncheon at the Empress Hotel yesterday were caught by the Times cameraman. In the group, from left to right, are: Mrs. R. B. Wilson, Mrs. Gordon Cameron, Mrs. Sutherland Brown, Mrs. Chas. E. Wilson, Mrs. R. Nixon, Mrs. Joan Jameson and Mrs. G. H. Simons.

Society

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor entertained at a luncheon at Government House yesterday, when his guests included the deputy ministers of the provincial government.

Miss Lilian Michaelis returned to her home on McClure Street yesterday morning after spending several months visiting in Regina.

This afternoon at her home in the Uplands, Mrs. F. Buchanan entertained a few guests at the tea hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Burdick of Vancouver are visitors in Victoria and are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Pemberton Road, left on the afternoon boat for the mainland, where she will speak to the Vancouver Women's Canadian Club tomorrow.

Dr. Olga Jardine, Despard Avenue, who has been spending a few days in Vancouver, returned this afternoon to her home in Victoria.

Mrs. Alan H. Wyllie, Wilmot Place, who went east to Toronto a few monts ago to place her daughter, Miss Caro Wyllie, in school, returned this afternoon to her home in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Thornber, formerly Miss Ruth Elizabeth Gillan, who have been spending their honeymoon on Salt Spring Island, have returned to Victoria and are resident on Grant Street.

Mr. A. B. Buchanan of Andagoya, Republic of Columbia, South America, who is home on furlough in Vancouver with his mother, has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Peacey, Menzies Street.

Mrs. F. G. Aldous entertained at the tea-hour this afternoon at her home, "Willow Cove," Cadboro Bay, when her guests included the members of the executive of the Women's Canadian Club and a few other friends. The reception rooms and tea-table were artistically arranged with spring flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ward of Lac la Hache, B.C., announce the engagement of their only daughter, Gertrude Eleanor Frances, to Mr. Leonard T. Campbell, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Campbell, 719 Wilson Street, Victoria. The wedding to take place on April 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Jackson of Vancouver and the former's mother, Mrs. M. B. Jackson of Victoria, left yesterday by motor for a five weeks' trip to California and Mexico. Mr. M. B. Jackson will fly to Los Angeles later to join them.

During the last two weeks a number of visitors from Stewart, B.C., have been holidaying in Victoria, including Mr. and Mrs. W. Kasper, who left on Tuesday night for the mainland on their way to their home in the north, Mr. C. Lake, Mr. H. Charlton, who is with his parents here, Mr. Owney McFadden and Mr. John Rochfort.

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Now WHITE-STAINLESS

A most successful reunion card party was held by the Sir James Douglas P.-T.A. Tuesday evening in the auditorium. Twenty tables of court whist and bridge were in play and prize-winners at bridge were Mrs. Donald and Mr. F. Brown; court whist, Mrs. Geo. Laflin, Mrs. E. M. Whyte and Mr. Carter. Refreshments were served under the directions of Mrs. C. Crawford.

Miss Anne Singer and Mr. A. C. George, who are to be married this week, were the guests of honor at a social arranged by St. Mark's A.Y.P.A. in the hall last night. Miss Hazel Fletcher, past president, made the presentation of a handsome silver plate, suitably engraved, to the couple, and expressed the best wishes of the members. Mr. George thanked their friends on behalf of the bride-elect and himself for their gift and good wishes. A jolly party followed, games and contests being much enjoyed. Later a sit-down supper was served, the table being appropriately decorated in St. Patrick's Day colors, with vases of daffodils down the centre.

Mrs. R. M. Watson entertained on Tuesday evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. J. Singer, Cloverdale Avenue, at linen shower in honor of her sister, Miss Anne Singer, whose marriage to Mr. A. C. George will take place on Saturday. Upon her arrival, the bride-elect was presented with a bouquet of mixed spring flowers. Throughout the rooms daffodils and jonquils were effectively arranged. Suspended above a table a watering can "sprinkled" the many gifts upon the table with a realistic spray of green and white crepe paper steamers. Games and contests were enjoyed, the winners being Mrs. J. F. Pye and Miss J. Duncan, and consolation prizes went to Mrs. J. E. Pye and Miss Olive Kilby. A buffet supper was served by Mrs. Watson from a table centred with a bowl of early spring blossoms. Misses Enid Mesher and Irene Reid assisted the hostess in serving. The guests were: Mrs. W. J. Singer, Mrs. Copp, Mrs. E. C. Mesher, Mrs. W. A. Bell, Mrs. A. Francis, Mrs. J. F. Pye, Mrs. W. J. Kelby, Mrs. W. J. Singer Jr., Mrs. Nightingale, Mrs. J. Milner, Mrs. J. Barr, Mrs. J. E. Pye, Mrs. N. Blanchard, Mrs. A. Reid, Mrs. C. Lodge, Mrs. B. Harknett and Misses M. George, O. Kilby, B. Pye, E. Duncan, E. Mesher, E. Pye, J. Duncan, E. George and I. Reid.

Chinese to Sing At St. Mary's Tea

Rev. Clarence Lee, with a group of young Chinese girls, will furnish the musical program at a St. Patrick and daffodil tea and sale of home cooking arranged by St. Mary's Girls', Branch of the Women's Auxiliary, to be held in St. Mary's Hall, Yale Street, Oak Bay, Saturday, from 3 to 6.

This effort is in accordance with an appeal of the Bishop of the Arctic for intensified work in connection with home and foreign missions. The meeting of East and West in a common endeavor is making a strong appeal to church members, according to the promoters, and a large attendance is assured.

Jubilee Juniors Held Spring Style Revue

Over 600 Guests at Luncheon at Empress Yesterday; Fascinating Fashions Shown by Leading Local Firms

Against a beautiful background of flowers, including masses of Japanese plum blossom and golden daffodils, Dame Fashion paraded in all her spring glory at the Empress ballroom yesterday afternoon, while 620 women admired and coveted the many fascinating styles assembled for their delectation.

The occasion was the spring fashion revue and luncheon arranged by the Junior Woman's Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital, and the firms co-operating included W. and J. Wilson, who supplied sports wear; Mme. Runge, afternoon and evening gowns; all the hats were from Miss Frith's; bridal head-dresses from Minnie Beveridge; luxurious furs from the Foster Fur Co.; coiffeures by the Hilda Beauty Shop, and hosiery by Kayser.

THE MANNEQUINS

Acting as mannequins were Mrs. Sutherland Brown, Mrs. C. E. Wilson, Mrs. J. Jameson, Mrs. W. Stanbury, Mrs. G. H. Simons, Mrs. Conway Parrott, Mrs. R. Nixon, Mrs. Gordon Cameron, Mrs. W. J. V. Church, Mrs. R. B. Wilson, Misses Edith Adams, Thelma Ackerman, Patricia McConnan, Clair Layborn, Marcia Prior, Valerie Kennedy-Smith and Jean Campbell; and the children were Betty and Janet Denniston, Shirley Cameron, Jeremy Hicks, Maureen Calvert and June Ker.

So large was the crowd of spectators, that the ballroom, tea foyer, and main dining-room were pressed into service, the mannequins parading throughout, to the music of the hotel orchestra.

GLAMOROUS GOWNS

That overworked word, glamorous, aptly describes some of the loveliest creations hailing from Paris and shown by Mme. Runge. An imported model evening gown of black French ninon was outlined at the decolletage with tiny tucked ruffles of the ninon edged with Valenciennes lace, whorls of the same ruffling edging the very full skirt, while the gorgeous choux of vivid flowers at the waist was complemented with a similar flower for the hair. French chic was also revealed in the evening dress of very full black silk net, with a tiny bolero of the net embroidered all over in a white vermicelli braid.

Miss Kennedy Smith wore a ravishing gown of white accordion-pleated chiffon. Grecian in design, the gown had a wide waistband inset of real lace, and the bodice was clasped across the shoulders with side bracelet-bands of diamente and silver. The deep back was finished with a row of tiny covered buttons extending below the waist.

Regal in color and line was the royal-blue chiffon evening dress worn by Mrs. Sutherland Brown, its lovely lines enhanced by the hip-length coat of horizontally tucked chiffon. Another French evening gown of summer metallic, exquisite of line, rivaled in appeal with an exotic creation of black spider-web lace over dusty-pink taffeta, while for the younger girl was an evening dress of early Victorian influence, of black taffeta with "upholstery" ruching from decolletage to hem, and a huge pink cabbage rose demurely posed on the skirt.

Cocktail dresses and hostess gowns, those standbys of the well-dressed woman, are intriguing. One, in the popular cereal tone, was braided in soutache braid to tone and followed the new beltless line at the waist. A very handsome Blackshire model was in chiffon in rose-cendre shade, with coatee, and caught at the waist with a floral bouquet. The Mexican influence was apparent in the cocktail dress of gay printed crepe and white, with bolero and low decolletage of the patterned material, a heavily-fringed sash in the vivid colorings falling over the chalk-white skirt.

Afternoon frocks and suits have embossed embroideries or braidings to add zest to their appeal. From France hailed a two-piece suit with bolero of blue-mist silk linen, trimmed with white soutache braiding, while a charming imported ensemble of Venetian red and white crepe in an all-over design was finished with a dainty lingerie jabot. Very smart was the two-piece suit and cape of chartreuse green in a nubby weave, while New York was also represented in the ultra-chic two-piece suit of heavy crepe in the new moutarde tone.

LOVELY BRIDE

With Easter approaching, it was fitting that the parade should reach its climax in a bridal group, Mrs. R. B. Wilson as the bride, wearing a gown of shimmering satin, with long tight sleeves, fitted waist with the heart-shaped neckline, the very full skirt with its long court train fitting into a tight yoke at the hips. Her veil of exquisite antique lace was caught to the head beneath a stiffened headdress of tulle, resembling a bonnet brim in shape, and she carried a beautiful bouquet of Calla lilies. The two bridesmaids were in turquoise blue and orchid net, respectively, with headdresses to match their gowns, and carrying Colonial bouquets, while the two little flower girls were in ciel blue and peach frocks, respectively, with floral wreaths in their hair. The headdresses were made by Minnie Beveridge.

Miss Edith Adams and Mrs. Nixon were in the role of brides-maids, and June Ker and Shirley Cameron the train bearers. All the wedding bouquets were supplied by Brown's Nurseries.

SPORTS CLOTHES

Both in the active sports and spectators' wear, shown by W. and J. Wilson Limited, the English influence was marked. Beautifully cut mannish suits of fine worsteds and suitings for smart street wear, were shown in this group. Especially trim was the riding outfit of short zippered coat and well-cut Jodhpurs, worn with a soft sports felt hat.

For golf, the plaid kilt is very much the thing, worn with a twin sweater set, and children, too, looked jaunty in their Highland kilt and sweaters and Glengarry bonnets. Tweed is as popular as ever for golf skirts, and with a rainproof coat made a workman-like outfit. Knitted suits take on new charm in clever knits and vivid colors.

Sports coats also reflects the mannish tailored line and cut, with checks and plaid very much to the fore. From Switzerland came a very smart green suit worn by Miss Campbell.

INTRIGUING HATS

Hats are more intriguing than ever, particularly those in the formal wear class. Straws take on a variety of weaves, with flowers springing up as if over night.

From Miss Frith's spring collection were shown some fascinating sailors, both of the Breton and Spanish influence, in straws and felts, while halo hats and the adorable poke bonnets effect proved a charming frame for fresh young faces, and added the crowning glory to many smart gowns.

Among the very becoming wide-brimmed hats, reminiscent of the mushroom line, was the lovely model worn by Mrs. Sutherland Brown, of black Tagal with a swathed band of dull red around the low crown.

Chin straps and ribbon straps, which in some cases tie jauntily at the nape of the neck add piquancy to both large and small sailors and also serve to keep the hat secure during the windy days of spring.

Sumptuous furs, from Foster's Fur Store, evoked envy in many of the spectators. Mrs. Gordon Cameron modeled a regal two-skin throw of silver fox over a tailored frock of navy, relieved at throat and wrists with white. Several brief shoulder capes were worn, one of silver fox, another of summer ermine. Mrs. Chas. E. Wilson wore a beautiful cape of white fox, over an evening gown of jade green chiffon, with an evening headdress of gold lame, finished with ospreys.

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Gay Costumes At Legion Dance

Nearly 300 dancers, many of them in costume, danced with evident enjoyment at the St. Patrick's eve dance held in the A.O.F. Hall last night under the auspices of the W.A. to the Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion.

Prizewinners were: Best Irish colleen, Mrs. Dorothy House; a special prize to Miss Dorothy Lowe; men's prize, C. Hastings, as an Irishman. Best advertising costume, Mrs. F. Ripley, as Satin-Glo, and to Mrs. R. M. Harris, as Stewart's Old-Timers. Best original, Miss Audrey McNaughton, Hawaiian, and F. Smith, "Pearly King." Mrs. Pennington, best comic lady, as "Nellie Wallace," and Miss Zora Gill, as an eccentric "Rose of Tralee," best sustained character. Mrs. A. Wood, as Minnehaha, won a special prize, and another special prize, given by Alderman James Adam, was awarded to Jack Sparks, as Huckleberry Finn. The judges were Alderman James Adam, Mrs. H. A. Whillans and Miss Bullock-Webster.

Many old-time dances were enjoyed, and supper was served in the lower banquet hall, the tables being decorated with daffodils and shamrock arranged in novelty potato containers. Don Galey acted as master of ceremonies.

Mrs. H. G. Bolt was general convener of the affair; Mrs. C. H. Gray had charge of the supper arrangements, assisted by Mrs. L. Petrie and Stewart's old-time helpers. Others on the general committee were Mrs. C. E. Smith Neill, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Minnis and Mrs. Muir, president of the W.A.

Moose Official Visits Women

Deputy Grand Regent Mrs. E. Deane paid an official visit to the Victoria Chapter No. 25, Women of the Moose, Monday evening, in the K. of P. Hall, with senior regent Mrs. M. Carter presiding. Two members who had been absent for some time were welcomed back. With officers and escorts officiating, initiation of candidate for membership took place.

Following the 9 o'clock service, a two-minute silence was observed in tribute to two faithful members who passed away suddenly, Mrs. E. Fawcett and Mrs. F. Walker.

Reports were given by Mrs. H. Parker, stating three new members initiated since February; Mrs. E. Burke has distributed magazines and books to recreation-rooms and relief camps; Mrs. A. Harrison announced a sewing bee Thursday night, March 24, at the home of Mrs. H. Parker, 3075 Washington Avenue; senior regent M. Carter gave report of whist drive held in the hall and Mrs. E. Burke reported birthday tea held at her home, she and Mrs. Herring being thanked for its success.

Mrs. E. Deane gave a brief talk on highlights of recent conference in Cleveland and visit to Mooseheart. In the ritualistic work, she explained changes, announcing that the new rituals would soon be published, also that she was appointed by Honorable James J. Davis, founder of the Child City, the first dean of the Academy of Friendship, an honor for British Columbia. Mrs. Deane was given a hearty vote of thanks and presented with a corsage bouquet of violets. She will be the guest of honor at the St. Patrick's banquet tomorrow night, for which all tickets must be reported today.

The meeting adjourned till Monday, March 28, being social night, plans for entertainment to be announced later. With table centred with bowl of daffodils an enjoyable sit-down supper was served by the kitchen committee.

Group A of the First United Church Women's Association will hold a guest tea in the church hall on Wednesday afternoon, March 23.

Weddings

WILSON—PILBEAM

A wedding took place on Saturday evening last at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. W. P. Bunt, Nanaimo, when Pearl Zeena, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Pilbeam, was united in marriage to Mr. John Frederick Wilson, youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson of Belle Plaine, Sask.

The bride wore her traveling ensemble of dove grey gabardine with matching hat and accessories and carried a bouquet of pink carnations, fresias, and sweet pea blossoms. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride at Coombs. Mrs. W. J. Allan of Port Alberni, sister of the bride, assisted her mother to receive the guests.

When leaving later in the evening for a short wedding trip to Victoria, the bride donned a blonde caracul fur swagger coat over her wedding costume. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wilson will reside at Belle Plaine, Sask.

SPENCER—HARRIS

At St. Mary's Church, Kerrisdale, yesterday at 12.30, Audrey Catherine, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy M. Harris, became the bride of Mr. William Allan Spencer, elder son of Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Nelson Spencer of Vancouver. The bridegroom was a former student of Brentwood College.

Rev. Col. C. C. Owen officiated. Miss Jean Dobie was the bride's only attendant, while Mr. Kendall Mercer supported the groom. Tall standards of calla lilies marked the chancel rail and clusters of white narcissi, tulips and stock were placed on the altar.

Corsair blue featherweight wool modeled the bride's coat, its sleeves banded in natural fox and tucked at the shoulders, worn over a fitted dress, which sponsored tucking from high neckline to hem. Her hat was a smartly twisted turban of matching fabric. Blue and white nyacinths, pansies and yellow freesia cascaded in a long shoulder corsage.

Dusty pink wool was the choice of Miss Dobie as bridesmaid. The briefest of black boleros, its edge and high pockets piped with the pink, was worn over the dress, with a scoop-brimmed hat of matching felt. Her flowers were violets, anemones and pansies.

Shortly after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer left by motor for the south, and on their return will reside at the lodge on the Marine Drive estate of Colonel Spencer.

British Girls Will Visit Canada

Young Hostesses At Coronation To Tour Dominion

By MOLLIE McGEE
Canadian Press Correspondent

LONDON (CP) — Spring's balmy days have brought out not only crocuses in Hyde Park, but also announcements of summer railway excursions, summer fashions, summer parties and summer tours.

Behind one of the last is a story that will interest Canadians. Last year nearly 100 British schoolgirls were invited to spend three or four weeks in Canada as guests of Canadian students, under arrangements made by the Overseas Education League.

These girls were selected from schools where hospitality had been extended to young Canadians visiting England in a group of 150 at the time of the Coronation.

The English girls stayed in Canadian homes during their tour and lived typical Canadian lives. On their return to England they became such enthusiastic publicity agents for the Dominion, their school friends have already applied for more tickets to visit Canada than are available this year. In addition, 100 boys from English colleges will cross the Atlantic in July under the co-operation schools plan.

A large group of the boys are to spend some time in camp on Tunnel Mountain, near Banff, Alta., where they will be joined by a similar number of Canadian boys who have previously visited England. The camp will be organized in co-operation with the Department of National Defence and the superintendent of national parks, Banff.

PRIZES FOR CANADIANS

One party of young Canadians will visit England early this summer for the formal prize-giving of awards for the Empire essay contest announced at the youth rally in the Albert Hall last May, when 8,000 schooolboys and girls from all parts of the British Commonwealth heard Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin, now Earl Baldwin.

More than 500 manuscripts giving young writers' ideas for an Empire youth movement were received in London. Queen Mary and the Duke of Gloucester, first among the donors of 50 prizes, now are reading the five essays selected as the best by the judging committee. Announcement of winners will be made shortly, and it is hoped formal presentation of prizes by their donors will take place soon after Empire Youth Sunday, May 15. It has already been made known by the committee that several Canadians were among the first 10.

Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE

1. At a party where guests are served at small tables, is it necessary to wait until all the tables have been served before beginning to eat?
2. Should dessert silver be on the table or brought in with the dessert?
3. Should a tray be used when bringing silver to the table?
4. Is it permissible to put a bread-and-butter plate on top of a dinner plate when removing it?
5. Is white or red wine preferred with a fish course?

What would you do if—

You are a woman and are entertaining a man guest. You live in a household of women and are accustomed to carving and serving at table—

(a) Serve as usual?
(b) Ask him to serve the plates?
(c) Import a maid to serve from the kitchen?

Answers

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2. The latter.
3. Yes.
4. No.
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News of Clubwomen

To ensure their publication reports of meetings of organizations or groups should be sent in within two days of their happening. Notices intended for this column on Saturday must be written and handed in not later than Friday.

The First Spiritualist Church will hold a silver tea in Sons of England Hall, 1216 Broad Street, on Friday afternoon from 2.30 until 5. Teacup-readers will be Mrs. T. Allan and Mrs. C. P. Milne, while Rev. W. L. Holder will give crystal readings. The hostesses will be Mrs. M. Livingstone and Mrs. J. Vaness.

St. Aidan's Tillicum Club met for their weekly meeting on Monday night. A lively sing-song opened the programme and was followed by the devotional period led by Marjorie Griffiths. Group Three was in charge of the entertainment of skill games, after which they served doughnuts and coffee. Group One will give a program of current events on Monday next.

The regular meeting of the W.B.A. Junior Rose Court was held in the women's institute rooms recently, with the president, Elanie Coates, in the chair. The St. Patrick's party arranged for tonight has been postponed till Tuesday evening, March 22, at 8, and will be held at the home of Mrs. G. Gaetz, 1788 Forrester Street. The next meeting will be held in the women's institute rooms, Saturday, March 26.

The W.M.S. of St. Aidan's Church met recently for their monthly meeting, Mrs. Luther Holling, president was in the chair. Each member answered the roll call with a verse of scripture. During the business period it was decided that the Easter thankoffering will be on April 12, in the Assembly Hall. The speaker will be Mrs. Nellie McClung. Barbara Dawson sang "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say," which was followed by the devotional period taken by Miss Cooper. Mrs. Holling reviewed another chapter of the W.M.S. study book. The meeting closed with a hymn and prayer led by Mrs. Harvey.

An illustrated French lecture, "Le Roman des Marionnettes," will be given by Mme. Sanderson-Mongin in the Victoria College on Saturday evening at 8.15, in aid of L'Alliance Francaise bursary fund. Mrs. G. Chambers, an English visitor in the city, will illustrate the lecture with her puppet theatre. On Friday, April 1, Herbert J. Pendray will show his travel films in aid of the bursary fund.

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Network Stations

National Red—KOMO (920), KPO (680), KOA (830), KFI (640).
National Blue—KJR (970), KGO (790)
Columbia—KIRO (710), KVI (560), KNX (1,050).
Mutual—KOL (1,270).
Canadian—CBR (1,100).

Tonight

5

Maurice's Orchestra—Columbia.
March of Time—National Blue.
Howie Wing, aviation—Mutual.
Rudy Vallee, John McCormack, guest—National Red.
By Request—CBR.
Sinfonietta—Mutual.

5.30

Grant and Ross—Columbia.
Barry McKinley—National Blue.
Echoes of the Stage—Mutual.
Camp Fire Girls—KJR.
Rochester Philharmonic—National Blue at 5.45.
Little Orphan Annie—Mutual at 5.45.
Boake Carter—Columbia at 5.45.

6

Good News with Robert Taylor—National Red.
Drama Hour, The Bard of Erin—Canadian.
Major Bowes's Amateur Hour—Columbia.
Worthless Talks—KOL.
Scandinavian—KJR.
Phantom Pilot—Mutual at 6.15.

6.30

Town Meeting of the Air, School endowment by federal funds—National Blue.
Frank Bull, sports—Mutual.
Echoes of Erin—Canadian.
News Flashes—KOL at 6.45.

7

Bing Crosby, Bob Burns—National Red.
Hollywood Serenade—Mutual.
Man to Man Sports—Columbia.
Popular Program—CBR.
Institute for the Blind—Canadian at 7.15.
Silhouettes—Columbia at 7.15.

7.30

Hollywood Showcase—Columbia.
Musical Revue—Mutual.
James A. Farley—National Blue.
Drums—CBR.
Easy to Remember—KJR.

8

Amos 'n' Andy—National Red.
News and Weather—Canadian.
Scattergood Baines—Columbia.
De Vodi's Orchestra—National Blue.
Headlines—KOL.
Youth Intervenes—Canadian at 8.15.
Hollywood Screenscoops—Columbia at 8.15.
Eliza Schallert Reviews—National Red at 8.15.
Standard Symphony Hour, Beethoven, Franck, Straus—National Red at 8.15.
Pinto Pete—KOL at 8.15.

8.30

Frank Trombar's Orchestra—National Blue.
Backstage—Canadian.

Radio Headliners Tonight

5.00—March of Time—NBC Blue.
5.00—Rudy Vallee—NBC Red.
5.45—Boake Carter—Columbia.
6.00—Good News—NBC Red.
6.00—Major Bowes—Columbia.
6.30—Town Meeting—NBC Blue.
7.00—Bing Crosby—NBC Red.
8.15—Symphony—NBC Blue.
8.30—Kate Smith—Columbia.

Kate Smith Hour—Columbia.
Carlton Kelsey's Orchestra—Mutual.
Musical Moments—Mutual at 8.45.

9

Moonstone, dramatic serial—Canadian.
Newspaper of the Air—Mutual.
Roger Pryor's Orchestra—National Blue.
News—KJR.
House of the Dead—KOL at 9.15.

9.30

Garwood Van's Orchestra—National Blue.
Carvel Craig's Orchestra—National Blue.
Kay Kyser's Orchestra—Mutual.
European Gaieties—Canadian.
Henry King's Orchestra—Columbia at 9.45.
University Explorer—National Blue at 9.45.

10

News Flashes—National Red.
Louis Panico's Orchestra—National Blue.
Joe Reichman's Orchestra—Mutual.
Book Review—Canadian.
Clem Kennedy—Columbia.
Carl Ravazza's Orchestra—National Red at 10.15.
Weather and News—Canadian at 10.15.
Art of Conversation—Columbia at 10.15.

10.30

Billy Mozet's Orchestra—National Blue.
Hal Dreisky's Orchestra—National Red.
Musical Tidbits—Canadian.
Everett Hoagland's Orchestra—Mutual.
Ted Flo Rito's Orchestra—Columbia at 10.45.

11

Eddie Duchin's Orchestra—National Blue.
Charles Runyon, organ—National Blue.
Jay Whidden's Orchestra—Mutual.
Larry Kent's Orchestra—Columbia at 11.15.

11.30

Archie Loveland's Orchestra—National Red.
Jan Garber's Orchestra—Mutual.
Black Chapel—Columbia at 11.45.
Musical—Mutual at 11.45.

Tomorrow

7

Top o' the Morning—KOMO.
Church of the Air—KJR.
Morning Devotionals—KVI.
Sunrise Serenade—KIRO.

7.30

Financial Service—National Red.
Josh Higgins—National Blue.
News—KOL and KVI.
Viennese Ensemble—National Blue at 7.45.
Gym of the Air—CBR at 7.45.
Morning Reveries—KOMO at 7.45.

8

Margo of Castlewood—National Red.
Merrymakers—Mutual.
Canadian Press News—CBR.
Aunt Jemima—National Red at 8.15.
Popular Waltzes—National Blue at 8.15
Breakfast Hour—CBR at 8.15.

8.30

Sweethearts of the Air—National Blue.
Leo and Ken—National Red.
Women's Page—KVI.
Originalities—National Blue at 8.45.
Gospel Singer—National Red at 8.45.
Joan Merrill—Mutual at 8.45.

9

The Boy and Girl Friend—Canadian and Mutual.
Vaughn de Leath—National Red.
Time for Thought—National Blue.
Friendly Garden—KOMO.
News—KJR.
Mary Margaret McBride—Columbia.
D'Arcy Marsh—Canadian at 9.15.
Edwin C. Hill—Columbia at 9.15.
Edward Gamage—National Blue at 9.15.
The O'Neils—National Red at 9.15.

9.30

Black and White—Mutual.
National Farm and Home—National Blue.
Emerson Gill's Orchestra—National Red.
Dick Fidler's Orchestra—Canadian.
The Romance of Helen Trent—Columbia.
Our Gal Sunday—Columbia at 9.45.
Streamline Swing—Mutual at 9.45.

10

The Happy Gang—Canadian.
Betty and Bob—Columbia.
Carlile and London—National Red.
Cowboy Joe—KOMO.
Mrs. Wiggs—National Red at 10.15.
Carson Robinson—Mutual at 10.15.
Betty Crocker—Columbia at 10.15.

10.30

Arnold Grimm's Daughter—Columbia.
John's Other Wife—National Red.
Rex Battle's Orchestra—Mutual.
Sue Blake—National Blue.
Cecil Solly—KJR.
Rymar—CBR.
Voice of Experience—Mutual at 10.45.
Valiant Lady—Columbia at 10.45.
Plain Bill—National Red at 10.45.
Jack and Loretta—National Blue at 10.45.

11

Big Sister—Canadian and Columbia.
String Quartette—National Blue.
Benny Walker's Kitchen—National Red.
Aunt Jenny—Columbia at 11.15.
Music Appreciation—Canadian at 11.15.
Argentine Trio—National Red at 11.15.

11.30

Be Charming—National Red.
American School of the Air—Columbia.
Ray Harrington—National Blue.
Charm Counselor—Mutual.
Between the Bookends—Mutual at 11.45.
Agriculture—National Blue at 11.45.
Julia Blake—National Red at 11.45.

12

O'Brien's Hi Hats—National Blue.
Pepper Young's Family—National Red.
University Woman—Canadian.
Beaux Arts Trio—National Blue at 12.15.
London Calling—Canadian at 12.15.
Ma Perkins—National Red at 12.15.

12.30

Vic and Sade—National Red.
Serenade—KJR.
Romance in Rhythm—KOL.
Good Health—Mutual at 12.45.
Club Luncheon—National BMlue at 12.45.
Guiding Light—National Red at 12.45.
The Newlywed—Columbia at 12.45.

1

Club Matinee—Canadian.
Myrt and Marge—Columbia.
Paul Martin's Orchestra—National Red.
Singin' Sam—KOMO.
Pilgrim Society Dinner—National Blue at 1.15.
Mary Marlin—National Red at 1.15.
Kitty Kelly—Columbia at 1.15.

1.30

Club Matinee—National Blue.
Hughesreel—National Red.
Swing Along—CBR.
Life's Like That—Canadian at 1.45.
Dr. Kate—National Red at 1.45.
Dr. Dafoe—Columbia at 1.45.
Book a Week—Mutual at 1.45

2

Martha Meade—National Red.
Follow the Moon—Columbia.
Ruby and his Music—Mutual.
Treasure Island—Canadian at 2.15.
Songs by Carlotta—National Red at 2.15.

2.30

Kathleen Harris, piano—Canadian.
Through a Woman's Eyes—Columbia.
Happy Jack—National Red.
Rakov's Orchestra—National Blue.
Johnnie Johnston—National Blue at 2.45.
Three Romeos—National Blue at 2.45
Closing Stocks—Canadian at 2.45.
Hilltop House—Columbia at 2.45.

3

Education in the News—National Red.
Spitalny's Orchestra—National Blue and Canadian.
Feminine Fancies—Mutual.
Press Radio News—Columbia.
Rhythmaires—National Red at 3.15.
Dr. Roland Sharp—Canadian at 3.15.

3.30

Woman's Magazine—National Red.
Golden Journeys—Canadian.
Judy and Her Jesters—Columbia.
Dr. Van Wyck—Mutual.
Vagabonds—National Blue at 3.45.
The In-laws—Columbia at 3.45.

4

Romanelli's Orchestra—Canadian.
Nola Day—National Blue.
Dorothy Mackenzie—National Red.
Fulton Lewis Jr.—Mutual.
To be advised—National Red at 4.15.
Story Behind the Headlines—National Blue at 4.15.
Major Bill—Canadian at 4.15.

4.30

The Four of Us—National Blue.
Hendrik Willem Van Loon—National Red.
Organ Recital—Canadian.
Craig Matthews—National Blue at 4.45.
Canadian Portraits—Canadian at 4.45.

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6.15–Music Lovers	9.15–Pentacostal

Tomorrow

7.45–Wake and Sing	11.00–Star Parade
8.00–Morning Salute	12.00–Concert Hour
8.15–News	12.30–Noon News
8.30–Chronometer	12.45–Varieties
9.00–Notes and News	1.00–Healing Words
9.30–Financial	1.30–Friendly Hour
9.45–Ramona, piano	
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10.30–Art Farey	1.35–World Bookman

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M. Harding, National Physical Director, in City April 11 and 12

M. Harding, Y.M.C.A. national director of physical education, will make his first official visit to the city on April 11 and 12 it was announced at Tuesday night's meeting of the Y.M.C.A. board of directors. He will speak before a meeting of the Gyro Club on April 11 and will address the board at supper, April 12.

Harry Ballantyne, Y.M.C.A. national secretary, has accepted an invitation to speak before the Victoria board. He will give a report of the national council meeting which was held last month at Niagara Falls. The date for his arrival has not been set.

Rev. G. A. Reynolds and Frank Paulding were appointed official delegates to the transient men's committee of the Council of Social Agencies.

The house committee report presented by Mr. Paulding at the meeting stated several dormitory rooms would be redecorated in preparation for the summer season. The financial report was given by J. O. Cameron; the boys' work report, J. V. Johnson; physical committee, W. W. Martin; membership, E. G. Rowebottom; social and educational, Dr. T. W. A. Gray. All reports showed satisfactory progress.

The London Zoo's famous gorilla, Mok, recently died of the kidney ailment known in human beings as Bright's disease.

A traffic engineer found that accidents on the Mount Vernon Memorial Highway in Virginia increased 250 per cent at night after lights were discontinued.

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Victoria Daily Times

Pedens Move Into Second

Victoria Boys Lap Behind Leaders in Six-day Bike Race at Chicago

CHICAGO—A three-way deadlock for the pacesetting position unchanged for almost 24 hours, was broken shortly before midnight last night in Chicago's 39th international six-day bike race.

After the wild jam session had temporarily subsided the "Red Devils," Alfred Letourner of France and Omer Desbruycker of Belgium, were perched alone at the summit.

Torchy and Doug Peden, famous brother team from Victoria, B. C., had moved up into second position, a single lap behind the leaders. The Pedens were setting a sizzling pace in the sprints and led the pack in points with 352.

Ten teams remained in the grind.

The standings follow:

	M.	L.	Pts.
Letourner-Debruycker	1244	9	126
Peden-Peden	1244	8	352
Reboli-Debaets	1244	8	191
Rodman-Thomas	1244	7	259
O'Brien-Allen	1244	5	220
Lands-Debacco	1244	3	190
Zims-Rausch	1244	3	115
Saavedra-Echevaria	1244	2	135
Gobebels-Wissel	1243	8	318
Defillipo-Shiman	1243	7	196

Leader: Letourner.

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

HONOR of bringing the first British Columbia basketball championship to Victoria this season fell to Coach Walter Yeamans and his Unitys, who journeyed over to Vancouver on Tuesday afternoon and returned the next morning with the intermediate A girls' title safely tucked away in their kit bags. In addition to being good hoop performers, Yeamans's lassies must be first-class sailors, as they certainly got a dusting off on their afternoon trip to the mainland. Yeamans stated his girls didn't show a sign of sea legs when they trotted onto the court in the evening.

It marked the second straight British Columbia crown for Yeamans and he felt pretty proud on his return. Last year his girls lifted the intermediate B girls' honors, and this season he stepped up a division, added a couple of players, and again came through on top. With his present squad Yeamans can compete in the intermediate A division for another couple of seasons, so he is looking forward to additional provincial laurels. By that time, if his girls stick together, he should have a rattling good ball club.

Present mainland senior A men's basketball series in Vancouver between the University of British Columbia, present Canadian titleholders, and the Westerns, appear to be more of a battle of gyms than teams. Varsity opened the series on their home floor by kicking the pants off the Westerns. Playing in their own backyard for the second encounter, Westerns handed Varsity a neat lacing. The teams returned to the students' gym for the third engagement, and once again the students showed the way. If the remaining games alternate it looks like Varsity should win. That's no prediction, but our leanings are towards the students. They tell me the Dominoes are pulling for the Westerns to win. Apparently the local boys have no desire to go up against the boys in blue and gold with that old college spirit. They remember too well what happened last season.

Officials of the British Columbia Basketball Association have finally seen the light, and will appoint two referees from the United States to handle the B.C. final between the Dominoes and the winner of the Varsity-Westerns series. The moguls got their heads together in Vancouver last week-end, and, although no official announcement has been made to date, their selection of referees was Stan Riddle, Everett, and Jewel of Bellingham. It only remains for these two officials to come to terms and the announcement will be forthcoming.

It appears the Vancouver senior clubs are fed up with their own referees and had no desire to see any of them appointed for the provincial playoff. The Dominoes have always been in favor of outside men, and will welcome the news that Riddle and Jewel have been selected. It is unfortunate that British Columbia men cannot work these games, but in former series there has always been no end of grief. Charges of favoritism and incompetency have traveled the rounds, and the simplest solution was to import neutral whistle-tooters. But it is only this year that the B.C. body could see its way clear to take the step.

Glenn Cunningham has plenty to show for his track efforts. The king of the world's milers has four trunks and a packing case filled with medals, plaques, statues, cups and assorted silverware and gold, which he won in his eight years of running. The total value is estimated at $30,000.

Remember when Battling Siki dared a St. Patrick's Day crowd at Dublin 15 years ago when he climbed into the ring against Ireland's fistic idol, Mike McTigue. Soldiers were posted around the arena, but they weren't needed. Mike stripped the gallant Senegalese of his world light-heavyweight boxing crown after 15 rounds.

M'KECHNIE HAS FIND

Boss of Cincinnati Ball Club Enthusiastic Over 235-pound John Doehring

TAMPA, Fla.—Bill McKechnie would just as soon not discuss the chances of his last place Cincinnati Reds, but he does believe he has made a sensational pitching find in John Doehring, 235-pound fullback of Chicago professional Bears football team.

It's a dizzy story, about Doehring, who is also a part-time wrestler. He's 25 now and he hasn't played any baseball since he was in his 'teens. That was in his home, Milwaukee. As he explained it to McKechine, he struck out 12 in a row the last time he pitched, but it hurt his arm and he gave up the game.

A week ago he showed up at the Reds' workout and asked McKechine if he would let him toss a few balls. Bill said sure, to throw as many as he wanted at Virgil Davis, the veteran catcher. He hadn't cut loose with a dozen before Davis stopped operations with a puzzled look and put a sponge in his big mitt.

"I don't know when I saw a faster ball," recounted McKechnie. "I wouldn't believe my eyes until I asked Davis, and he said I was dead right. His fast one hops like Bill Hallahan's used to and he has as good a curve as I want to see. He looks like a great hitter, too. Honest, I believe he's the finest prospect in all my experience."

Trail Registers Easy Hockey Win

TRAIN—Trail Smoke Eaters blanked Calgary Rangers 5 to 0 here last night in the first game of the best of three far west Allan Cup playdown series.

Joe Benoit led the Smoke Eaters comeback into the Dominion amateur hockey playdowns after a lapse of three years, scoring three goals with Bunny Dame and Jimmy Morris netting the others.

SHORE GETS TROPHY

BOSTON—Eddie Shore, Boston Bruins veteran defence star, yesterday was awarded the Elizabeth C. Du Fresne Trophy. It is awarded annually to the Boston player judged by Boston hockey writers as most outstanding in home games.

Schmeling May Not Meet Louis

CHICAGO — Promoter Mike Jacobs said today "scrambled conditions in Germany" may prevent Max Schmeling from returning to the United States for his heavyweight title bout with Joe Louis, scheduled for June. He intimated Max Baer would get the call if the German didn't show up.

Camera Catches Some Perfect Rhythm

Hoofs pounding together, legs swinging to a perfect rhythm, manes flying in pretty parallel, their tails almost one, Jim Mack, on the rail, with John Case up, and Basil Hanover, driven by Sep Palin, spurt along the trotting track at Orlando, Fla., to make a striking study in synchrony, pictured above. Even the wheels and the drivers' whips are in perfect alignment. The photo was taken on the winter training track where the trotters are working out in preparation for the spring season.

Letters to the Editor

INTERCITY SOCCER

To the Sports Editor:—On Saturday afternoon the New Westminster Royals (former Dominion champions) will play the Victoria United football club at the Athletic Park. This will be the third game of the 1937-38 Intercity League games in Victoria, the teams yet to come being St. Andrews and Radials of Vancouver and the Nanaimo United football club.

It is felt that Victorians appreciate these games and in the past attendance has been good. However, due to bad weather conditions on the day of the St. Saviours' game here the turnout was small and a heavy deficit on the traveling expenses of the visiting team has to be met by the local club. As all those interested in soccer are well aware the local clubs are dependent entirely on gate percentages at the Athletic Park and collections at open fields for funds with which to carry on the game of soccer in Victoria.

This is not an appeal for donations, but is simply given to bring to the notice of soccer fans locally the games yet to be played in the Intercity League and to request their support at the gate.

J. F. MESHER.
Secretary, V. and D. F.L.

Racing Results

NEW ORLEANS—Results of horse racing here yesterday follow:

First race—Six furlongs:
Jadaan (Omalley) $8.20 $4.00 $2.60
The Millay (Lowe) 5.20 3.00
Brophy (Richard) 2.60
Time, 1.13 3-5. Also ran: Scotch Gold, Pomphill, Every Effort, Whitharral.

Second race—Mile and one-sixteenth:
Edification (Stampfel) $14.80 $6.00 $4.20
Fish Tush (Driscoll) 5.00 4.00
Grey Broom (Vedder) 4.80
Time, 1.48. Also ran: Margaret Jones, Baby Joe, Naval Cadet, Rustic Joe, Hereon, Brown Molasses.

Third race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Bunty Ann (Nodarse) $6.60 $4.00 $3.20
Black Sod (Dyer) 4.40 3.20
Gladess (Paradise) 3.40
Time, 1.08. Also ran: Wendover, Taddy Bane, Miss Ivory, Ruth G., News Girl, Scobina, Thistle Spy, Lady Crusader, Palatine Belle.

Fourth race—Four furlongs:
Abmeres (Haas) $7.00 $4.00 $3.20
Wayward Boy (Fields) 4.00 2.80
Miss Kentex (Vedder) 3.60
Time, .48 1-5. Also ran: Upsy, No Tie, Dorothy Agnes, Dr. Ford, Cona Dara, Master Mort, Royal Harmony, Brown Ben.

Fifth race—Mile and 20 yards:
Actdine (Nodarse) $10.40 $6.00 $3.60
Proud Girl (Omalley) 5.00 3.80
High Mongul (Haas) 3.20
Time, 1.44. Also ran: Strolling Home, Swap, Henry M., Biography.

Sixth race—Six furlongs:
Prince Argo (McCadden) $27.40 $10.20 $6.40
Wm. Palmer (Omalley) 3.60 3.00
Anthology (Mojena) 3.40
Time, 1.12 2-5. Also ran: Bustle, Pandonna, Spillway, Sound Wave.

Seventh race—Mile and 70 yards:
Excitation (Lowe) ..... $15.60 $ 7.20 $4.40
Kuvera (Dobson) 18.60 8.60
Gumption (Krovitz) 2.80
Time, 1.45 1-5. Also ran: Colorist, Barette, Ace of Spades, Canpra, Idle Money, Lakeshore, Saint, Mr. Joe, Spickeen.

Patrick May Lose Two Defence Stars

Coulter and Pratt Laid Up As N.Y. Rangers Await Hockey Finals

NEW YORK—Stretched in a hospital cot for the first time in his life, Art Coulter today tried to persuade his grey-haired boss he would be ready for the Stanley Cup finals. He was sure New York Rangers would get that far in the National Hockey League playdowns.

As Manager Lester Patrick stalked into the room, the injured Ranger captain could hardly wait to tell him that yesterday "I walked three lengths of the corridor without aid of crutches and my leg is feeling better every minute. I'm as good as in."

But Patrick, appreciative of Coulter's will to play, was "not so sure." Only 10 days ago the 27-year-old defenceman was operated upon, an eight-inch cut being necessary in his left thigh to remove congested blood from a broken vessel. Muscles in the leg were badly torn and it took 21 stitches to bring the tendons together.

To add to Patrick's troubles, X-ray pictures today revealed Babe Pratt's knee injury was a split tendon, leaving the Rangers minus two stalwart defencemen. Pratt may be ready for the start of the playoffs March 22.

Much Contrast In Playoff Ice Teams

Six N.H.L. Clubs Will Present Different Styles and Systems

The six National Hockey League clubs which enter playoffs next week present just about the most varied array of makeups, styles and systems the Stanley Cup series has ever brought forward.

Favored are the big, bruising Bruins of Bostons, who have clinched first place in the American division by a broad margin. Underdogs are the makeshift Chicago Black Hawks, who started winning games through sheer team spirit last fall and have beaten out Detroit Red Wings for third place by keeping it up.

But there's no greater contrast between teams than between New York's contenders, Rangers and Americans, who likely will meet in the first round. Because they stage their last meeting of the schedule tonight, Madison Square Garden fans are to see a preview of what should be an intra-city classic.

Like a baseball "subway series" between the Yankees and the Giants, an Americans-Rangers playoff would pit bitter New York rivals. Baseball hasn't anything to compare with the essential differences between the hockey teams, though.

Rangers have been made over in three years by a schooling system that brings along a pack of good youngsters every fall. Americans are the game's "foreign legion," assembled by trades and purchases all over the map; only Al Murray and Sweeney Schriner of all the Amerks have never played with another N.H.L. club.

YOUNGEST TEAM

Rangers are the youngest team in the league and Americans the oldest, with an average age of 32 years. Rangers play a smooth, regulated passing game and Americans count on a close-knit, hard-checking style.

And the differences go on and on. Rangers make the playoffs almost annually and their foes have failed to get in with almost the same regularity. Rangers have been riding high financially for years and Americans had to be taken over by the league in 1936 because of money troubles.

So while a collision of the two would mean that one of New York's teams would pass out in the first stage, the city's fans wouldn't be disappointed at all.

Rangers already have made sure of second place, and Americans would do the same by winning while Canadiens were being beaten by Maroons on an intra-Montreal duel. One point ahead of Canadiens now, Amerks have two games after tonight and Canadiens only one.

Rangers, crippled by injuries to defencemen Art Coulter and Babe Pratt, will bring up Larry Molyneux and Muzz Patrick, son of Coach Lester Patrick, from their Philadelphia farm.

The Montreal winner will take the city title. Maroons have won four times and Canadiens three in their clashes so far and if Canadiens tie the series tonight they will get the Kennedy Cup through a higher position in the standings. A draw would retain the trophy for the Maroons.

ADAMS HOLDS JOB

Toronto Maple Leafs play the Red Wings at Detroit in the night's other contest. Leafs are sure of first place in their section and Wings of last place in the other. Most of the Wings will be trying to help their chances of staying with the downtrodden champions next season, but Manager Jack Adams already had been assured by owner James J. Norris Sr. that he'll have his job again.

Pacesetters In Major Hockey

CANADIAN DIVISION

Standing — Toronto, won 22, lost 14, tied 9, points 53.

Points — Drillon, Toronto, 24 goals, 24 assists, 48 points.

Goals—Drillon, Toronto, 24.

Assists—Apps, Toronto, 25.

Penalties—Horner, Toronto, 80 minutes.

Shoutouts — Broda, Toronto, and Robertson, Americans, 6.

AMERICAN DIVISION

Standing—Boston, won 29, lost 11, tied 7, points 65.

Points—Thompson, Chicago, 22 goals, 22 assists, 44 points.

Goals—Thompson, Chicago, 22.

Assists—Watson, Rangers, 24.

Penalties—Coulter, Rangers, 80 minutes.

Shutouts—Kerr, Rangers, 8.

OXFORD CREW SETS RECORD

Shatters 25-year-old Mark in Training For Race With Cambridge

PUTNEY-ON-THAMES, Eng.—Oxford, in training for the boat race with Cambridge, April 2, broke a 25-year-old practice record on the Thames tideway Tuesday rowing from Putney Bridge to Chiswick Steps, a distance of slightly more than two miles, in 11 minutes, 31 seconds.

It beats the practice record of 11 minutes, 55 seconds made in 1913 by Oxford. The dark blues had a good flood tide and conditions were ideal. They rowed impressively against a fairly strong breeze, striking 18 and 35 in the first half minute and minute, respectively.

Dropping to 30 strokes to the minute, they reached mile post in 4.18 and were rowing at 29 when overtaken by the Isis (alternative) crew just beyond mile post. The crews were level when Hammersmith Bridge was reached in 7.23, with Oxford rowing 28. A. B. Hodgson, the stroke, then lifted the pace to 31 for the final spurt.

Cambridge paddled from University Stone, Putney, to Mortlake in 20.1. Oxford did a similar row yesterday in 20.031. The light blues battled most of the way at 22 and 23 after starting at 27. Intermediate times were mile post 4.18, Hammersmith 7.39, Chiswick Steps 12.8, Barnes Bridge 16.43

Poyntz Again Net Club Head

Dr. Arthur Poyntz was renamed president of the Hillcrest Tennis Club at the annual meeting held recently. Don Warder was elected vice-president and Ralph Butler was chosen secretary-treasurer. The executive was named as follows: J. Stewart, R. Simpson, Bill Erickson, Mrs. A. Poyntz and Mrs. B. Erickson. Following the presentation of annual reports, club officials declared they were looking forward to another successful season.

Victoria Basketball Teams In Triple Win

Bays Midweek Soccer Champs

Defeat Spencers 1 to 0 Through McBride's Goal in Deciding Fixture

The Pendray Cup, symbolic of mid-week soccer supremacy, will remain in the Hudson's Bay trophy cabinet for another year.

The green and gold shirted Bays won the honors for the second straight year yesterday afternoon when they bagged their sixth win in nine battles with a 1 to 0 decision over Spencers at the Athletic Park.

The winning goal was registered by Malcolm McBride, speedy inside right. He tallied two minutes after half-time.

Hudson's Bay was undoubtedly the better of the two teams on the day's play. They had the lion's share of territorial play and had it not been for the fine defence put up by Spencer's back division and the good goaltending of Norm Stewardson the Bays would have retired with a more substantial margin.

Stewardson made only one mistake and that was fatal. Maurice Speller let drive from the left wing and Stewardson momentarily fumbled the slippery ball and allowed it to sneak out of his hands to the waiting boot of Malcolm McBride and he scored.

Spencers, although outplayed, never gave up the fight. Stewardson found Preston pretty dangerous but managed to avert all his thrusts. The teams traveled through a scoreless first half and in the final 45 minutes the Bays did practically all the pressing, netting their only goal in this session.

D. McMillan refereed.

Teams follow:

Hudson's Bay — Renfrew, Stofer, Wyatt, Williamson, Kennedy, Crees, Gelling, McBride, Preston, Oakman and Speller.

Spencers — McMillan, Stewardson, Munro, L. Bradley, Moir, Bissell, Reside, Brown, Waring, Williams, Collins and Newell.

Carpet Bowling

Results of matches in the Victoria Carpet Bowling League tournament follow:

Open Doubles

J. Baron and W. Stockley 24, C. O'Regan and W. Laing 15.

Mrs. Randall and J Dobbs 17, A. Byatt and P. Walker 15.

TONIGHT'S DRAW

Final Open Singles, 8.00
E. Kirchin vs. G. Forster.

Open Doubles, 8.00
S. Campion and R. Nelville vs. G. Knight and W. Millard.

Open Triples, 8.00
J. Baron, B. Jacklin and J. Smith vs. T. McMahon, E. Barnes and J. T. Scott.

GLIDING AT OLYMPIAD

CAIRO, Egypt — The International Olympic Committee today voted to add gliding to the list of Olympic sports. The proposal was submitted originally by Germany.

HOCKEY STANDINGS

N. H. L.

Canadian Division

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Toronto	22	14	9	134	116	53
Americans	18	16	11	98	96	47
Canadiens	17	17	12	116	124	46
Maroons	12	29	6	98	143	30

American Division

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Boston	29	11	7	156	88	65
Rangers	26	14	5	140	88	57
Chicago	14	24	9	96	133	37
Detroit	11	24	11	93	123	33

SAFEWAYS WIN OVER TACOMA

Defending Champions Score 46 to 38 Victory in Denver Tournament

DENVER — The Denver Safeways, defending champions, defeated the Tacoma, Wash., Alt Heidelbergs, 46 to 38, in the opening game of last night's national A.A.U. basketball tournament program.

The champions never were behind. They led at the half, 24 to 13, and although the Heidelbergs trailed by only five points with only three minutes to play after staging a brisk rally, there never was a doubt as to the outcome. Frequent substitutions kept the Safeway power down to a minimum necessary to win.

The Tacomans, with their share of tall men, played a driving game which occasionally troubled the Safeways.

Hal Lee, former Washington University player, topped the Tacoma scorers with 10 points. Bob Gruenig registered 13 for Safeways.

Junior Basketball Playoff Tonight

The Vancouver Island junior hoop championship will be ushered in at the Esquimalt Athletic Hall, Fraser Street, this evening when the home district peewees clash with the Nanaimo juniors. The game will begin at 7.30.

Friday evening the Esquimalt squad will make the trip to Nanaimo for the second battle. The winners will travel to Vancouver for the final on Saturday. The Esquimalt juniors eliminated Sooke, Lake Hill and Ladysmith in succession to take the city and lower island titles.

Metz-Laffoon Take Tourney

MIAMI—Dick Metz and Ky Laffoon yesterday won the 15th renewal of the $4,000 international four-ball golf tournament, defeating Willie Goggin and Ben Hogan 6 and 5 in the final.

TO PRESENT PRIZES

Distribution of prizes to winners in the recent city chess championship tournament will take place in the City Chess Club headquarters, 1118 Langley Street, tomorrow night at 8. Matches between A and B section players will take place during the evening.

Great Field For Grand National

Final Acceptances For Famous English Steeplechase Number 40

LONDON—Forty of the world's best jumpers yesterday were named final acceptors for the Grand National, most exacting of all steeplechases, to be run at Aintree, near Liverpool on March 25.

For the first time in the big event's century of annual renewals, a Canadian horse, bred and trained in the Dominion, will try for the greatest of all jumping honors.

Rock Lad, owned by H. R. Bain, Toronto stockbroker, was among final acceptors, and will be ridden by J. Bissill, a well-known amateur jockey. Bain, however, has publicly said he believes Rock Lad has little chance of measuring up to the great qualities a Grand National victor must have.

The field of 40 includes the 1937 winner and current favorite, Royal Mail, as well as four jumpers that have been favorites at various times during the past few weeks—Marquis de San Miguel's six-year-old French gelding, Takvor Pacha; Sir Francis Towle's Airgead Sios, the "horse with the weak heart"; Arthur Sainsbury's Blue Shirt, and Delachance, a veteran of the Aintree country, owned by J. B. Snow, an American.

LATEST ODDS

In a callover of odds at the Victoria Club last night, Royal Mail, bought by Mrs. Vamille Evans, following the death of Hugh Lloyd Thomas, his previous owner, retained his favorite's place at 100 to 7.

Blue Shirt and Tavkor Pacha were grouped as second choice at 15 to 1, followed by Delachance, 20 to 1; Dunhill Castle, Cooleen, and Dominick's Cross, 22 to 1; Stalbridge Park, Rockquilla and Airgead Sios, 25 to 1.

The final acceptances, along with the jockeys, follow:

Royal Mail, Williams; Airgead Sios, McNeill; Cooleen, Fawcus; Pontet, Parkinson; Battleship, Hobbs; Royal Daniel, Moore; Dominick's Cross, Everett; Davy Jones, Milday; Hopeful Hero, Dawes; Under Bid, Pringle; Workman, Brogan; Brighter Cottage, O'Grady; Didoric, E. Brown; Stalbridge Park, Wilson; Promint Lad, Burford; Blue Shirt, R. Smyth; Dunhill Castle, Nicholson; Inversible, Hogan; Red Freeman, Redmond; Delachance, J. Snow; Takvor Pacha, Kalley; Rockquilla, Carey; Dawmar, Maxwell; Provocative, Rimmel; What Have You, Magee; Lough Cottage, Black; Frobisher, Capt. Harding; Bachelor Prince, Morgan; Blue Prince, Parvin; Cabin Fire, R. Brown; Rock Lad, Bissill; Santa Luz, Petre; Tapinois, Scratchley; Pencraik (no jockey); Hurdy Gurdy Man, Strutt; Drim, Tighe; Lazy Boots Hislop; Red Knight II, V. L. Jones; Emancipator, Gray; K. D. H., Gordon.

Gainers In Victory By Lone Point

Defeat Spencers in B.C. Women's Final; Hoyle-Brown Advance

When it comes to stirring hoop action you haven't seen anything until you see Victoria's Gainer's Superiors and Vancouver's Spencers hooping it up.

These two feminine squads staged one of the greatest thrillers local followers have witnessed on the cage court in many a moon last night, with the Superiors nosing out their opponents on the home stretch through Eleanor Peden's field basket in the last 20 seconds for a 40 to 39 triumph.

They were meeting in the first tilt of a two-game total-point series for the British Columbia senior A women's crown at the High School gym before about 400 action-crazed customers. The series will be continued tonight with the teams hooking up at 9 to be followed by a match between Eight Aces and Nanaimo at 10.

"VICTORIA NIGHT"

It was a complete "Victoria Night" at the gym yesterday evening, with Manager Frank Shandley's Hoyle-Brown, island titleholders, breezing through Cloverdale, mainland champs, to an impressive 44 to 27 victory and lifting the senior B coast championship. Bob Whyte's Adverts made the night perfect when they flashed superior ball strategy to pull out with a 29 to 14 win over Cumberland, the first game of the island intermediate B girls' title chase.

The Gainer's Superiors-Spencers tilt was anybody's game right to the closing whistle and had the fans working feverishly on their fingernails and yelling themselves hoarse. Both teams dived into the fray at top speed and kept it at the boiling point throughout. They more than burned up the court.

The visitors appeared to be the more finished ball-handlers and after a nip-and-tuck first quarter in which the score was tied up on six counts started piling in the baskets like nobody's business in the following 10 minutes and had built up a 27 to 18 lead when the half arrived. Victoria had lots of tough luck in the second quarter. The hoop was very elusive.

MARKSMANSHIP BETTER

From the observer's viewpoint things looked pretty bad for the local girls. But when Gainer's took the floor again their marksmanship looked better and they appeared more confident. Gradually they cut down the gap between them on the scoreboard and were only three points behind at the third rest period.

When the final hectic drive got underway, Victoria, sparked by Mary Peden who boosted them on top before being forced to quit owing to an eye injury, ripped into the opposing defence in a courageous 10-minute rally that saw them match their opponents stride for stride and then finally sneak through at the closing gong with the odd point, through Eleanor Peden's field attempt.

Mary Peden, a going concern on the Gainer's forward line, was the star of the match. She was the spearhead of her team's attacks, notching 18 points. When she was forced to give up her post early in the last quarter owing to a nasty cut below her right eye sustained through a collision, things again looked pretty blue for the Victorians. But Mary had carried them thus far and her teammates refused to let her down. They carried on the gallant fight, coming through in a camera finish. M. Hume was high for the visitors with 11 points.

MEET KELOWNA

Having polished off the Cloverdales, the Hoyle-Browners will now prepare themselves for their B.C. title campaign with Kelowna toward the latter part of the month. Ollie Goldsmith, captain, provided the scoring punch for

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SALE MARKS ANNIVERSARY

Firm of James Adam, Particular Grocer, Observes Silver Jubilee

Having been established here 25 years ago, one of Victoria's best-known and most popular grocery firms, James Adam, Particular Grocer, 1101 Fort Street, is now observing its anniversary with a silver jubilee sale.

Both as senior member of the City Council and as a sportsman, Alderman James Adam, proprietor of the business, is one of the outstanding citizens of Victoria.

As an athlete, Alderman Adam is well known throughout the Dominion. He started his athletic career in 1894, when he became a member of the Nanaimo Thistles' soccer team. After playing for six years with this team he joined the Extension-Ladysmith eleven.

In 1901 he left Nanaimo and moved to Ladysmith, where he carried on a general merchandising business until 1912. During these years Alderman Adam was the star player of the Ladysmith team which went to the World's Fair at Portland in 1905 and won fame by capturing the American championship.

Probably the most brilliant centre-forward in the history of Canadian soccer, Alderman Adam captained the All-British Columbia soccer teams on practically all occasions from 1903 to 1915.

His athletic fame, however, does not rest solely upon his prowess as a soccer player. In 1900 he introduced the game of basketball to Ladysmith and captained what was then considered one of the best teams in the province. He played with and managed numerous all-star basketball teams during a period of many years, and his interest in the game is evidenced today by the fact that he is vice-president of the Victoria Dominoes Basketball Club.

It is significant of Alderman Adam's popularity among sportsmen that he has been the representative of the British Columbia council on the executive of the Dominion Football Association for 16 years. He is also a past president of the British Columbia Football Association.

He managed the All-Canadian soccer team on its tour of Australia in 1924 and of New Zealand in 1926.

Alderman Adam came to Victoria to enter business in 1912. His store has remained in the same location during the intervening 25 years. The fact that 74 of the original customers are still numbered among the clientele reflects the reputation of the firm for efficiency, dependability and quality.

Convinced that the Old Men's Home could be managed more efficiently for the benefit of the inmates and seeing scope for improvement in the playing fields situation in Victoria, Alderman Adam, in part at the insistence of the late B. C. Nicholas, decided to stand for election to the City Council in 1926. Today he is senior alderman, and, in the absence of Mayor McGavin, acting mayor.

Improvement in the situation at the Old Men's Home and the

JAMES ADAM

great betterment of playing field conditions in the city are ascribed largely to Alderman's Adam's unflagging energies. He continues to be a member of the council committee handling the affairs of the Old Men's Home, is chairman of the city parks and boulevards committee, a member of the Victoria-Saanich beaches and parks committee, and is a Victoria representative on the executive of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities.

Alderman Adam has built up his business on a policy of providing prompt and courteous service and of offering merchandise of the finest quality at reasonable prices. Though the major part of his business is done with residents of Oak Bay and Fairfield districts, such is the popularity of the store that a delivery service is maintained to all sections of the city.

Says Canvasser Made Advances

City police yesterday investigated a complaint from a woman resident of Bay Street that advances had been made towards her by a salesman who called at her home during the afternoon.

The woman told police the man had been admitted to the house to display wares which he was selling and while exhibiting them to her he had embraced her. Police responded to the call, but were unable to find any trace of the man.

Twenty-six persons were called before Magistrate Hall in the City Police Court this morning for failure to pay their poll tax of $5 for last year. Each was fined $5 and $1 costs.

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TO INTRODUCE INQUIRY DATA

Statements Made at Fire Marshal's Hearing to Be Evidence in Arson Case

A transcription of statements made by the accused during the fire marshal's inquiry was ruled admissible in the Assize Court trial by Mr. Justice H. B. Robertson as the arson case in which Llewellyn Overton is charged with setting fire to a Munro Street dwelling last September 19, continued today.

The decision to permit submission of transcripts of such statements was reached over the objection of R. C. Lowe, counsel for the defence, who contended they had not been given voluntarily.

The technical discussion on the point took a large portion of the trial this morning and followed evidence from Gilbert Stancombe, Esquimalt police constable, who testified to an inspection of the house immediately after the fire and to events leading up to the fire marshal's inquiry.

Constable Stancombe described the condition of the house and basement. He remarked upon the presence of piles of litter in the room.

In reply to a question by a member of the jury, the constable stated that when he had first looked at the fire, flames were blazing under the basement steps, where a pile of material of some sort appeared to be on fire.

He testified he had questioned Mr. Overton regarding insurance and had informed the accused that he would be required to make a report on policies to the police the next day.

As a result of an inspection of the premises the following day, with Chief of Police V. Pecknold in the presence of Mr. Overton, an inquiry had been ordered.

Mr. Stancombe stated he had found a coal oil can in the basement, but that when he had entered the premises after the fire he had detected no smell of coal oil. The can had been left on the premises for some 10 days after the occurrence, he said.

Court adjourned for luncheon and was continuing this afternoon.

Rotarians Hear Bishop J. Cody

"Spirit of Saint Patrick's Day" Theme at Clubmen's Luncheon Today

"If we take the spirit of St. Patrick, the spirit of brotherhood, to heart, we will find the world is a place worth living in and the wall of misunderstanding is not a barrier which cannot be broken down," declared Most Rev. John C. Cody, Bishop of Victoria, in a brief but inspiring address to the members of the Rotary Club today at luncheon.

Bishop Cody's thought climaxed an interesting talk on St. Patrick, the patron saint of Ireland. The speaker described the boyhood of St. Patrick as being one of extreme hardship, but one which fitted him for the great task before him.

"St. Patrick was, in all probability born in Scotland," Bishop Cody said. He told of his capture by the Irish and how he was subsequently sold into slavery, later to escape and go back to his home. St. Patrick saw noble qualities in the Irish people and resolved to go back to Erin to convert that land of pagans to Christianity. In preparation for his undertaking St. Patrick studied for 40 years.

He was rewarded by his years of toil and eventually converted the whole country without spilling a drop of blood. He renovated the laws and gave learning in Ireland an impetus which carried down through history to the present day.

St. Patrick encouraged music, with the feeling it brought out the noblest in man. He died as the Primate of all Ireland at the age of 120 years.

Bishop Cody said St. Patrick's Day was not in celebration of the birth of St. Patrick, but in memory of his death. The truly Christian viewpoint, as expressed by the people of the time, was that death was the most glorious day in life, and its results a fitting reward for a life free of immorality.

In remarking on the history of Ireland being one of eternal hardship, Bishop Cody declared all nations had their test of character, and the character of the Irish was directly in proportion to the long years of trouble and sorrow. Frank Sehl introduced His Excellency.

"What Is Technocracy?" will be the subject of the public round table discussion of Technocracy, Incorporated, tonight at 8 in room 222, Pemberton Building. A question period will follow.

TOWN TOPICS

W. H. Warren, city park superintendent, will address the Victoria Real Estate Board at a luncheon Friday at 12.30 in Spencer's private dining-room. He will talk on city parks improvements.

Bank clearings in the city for the week ending today were $1,371,186, according to a statement issued this mornng by the Victoria Clearing House. Figures for the same period last year were $1,812,152.

At salaries of $20 a month James McKenzie and Fred Wilson were added to the janitors' staff of the Saanich School Board last night. Mr. McKenzie was appointed to the Gordon Head School and Mr. Wilson to West Saanich. Both are two-room schools requiring part time janitors.

The Victoria Male Choir, under the leadership of Frank Tupman, with Edward Parsons at the organ, will give the program at the Twilight Recital at the First Baptist Church on Sunday afternoon at 3. Soloists will be James Oakman, H. L. Harmsworth, Douglas Ritchie, Frank Tupman, J. W. Buckler and H. S. Batey.

The Victoria Music Teachers' Association met yesterday at the Y.W.C.A., President Reginald Cox in the chair. Committees were elected for the coming year. Arrangements were discussed in connection with the forthcoming joint recital of senior and advanced students to be held at the First Baptist Church on Friday, April 1.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor will attend the St. Patrick's Day smoking concert of the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion this evening at 8. An attractive entertainment program has been arranged. The Britannia Branch will hold its annual St. Patrick Day smoking concert for members Saturday night at 8.

Speaking to Ward Five Liberal Association last night, F. W. Davey discussed world conditions and their causes. He gave frequent quotations from the book by Sir Arthur Salter, M.P., director and adviser of the economic conferences of the League of Nations. H. W. Davey was chairman and a social was arranged for April 6.

The Oak Bay Council met in camera as a committee on estimates last night. No statement was made this morning on how far the committee progressed with shaping the municipality's 1938 budget. It is understood the estimates will be finally settled and the mill rate struck at the council's next regular meeting on Thursday evening of next week.

A meeting of representatives of all youth organizations of Greater Victoria will be held on Thursday evening, March 24, at 8 in the Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of discussing plans for a forum. Letters of invitation have been sent to all clubs. Any organization which has not received a letter and wishes to send two delegates is requested to write to the committee secretary, Miss Mary Grant, 2317 Blanshard Street, or G 5458.

At a meeting of Victoria Division, Young Citizens' League, last night, Neil B. Butler and Peter G. Hartnell were appointed delegates to a meeting in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium March 24, to discuss plans for an ice arena and forum. George G. Weeks-Little, Donald Nelson, Henry Coates, Neil Butler, Peter Hartnell and Miss D. Davies were appointed delegates to the Victoria Youth Conference in the Y.M.C.A., March 19 and 20. A challenge of Victoria Catholic Youth Organization to debate the topic: "Resolved, that all Public Utilities Should be Owned and Operated by the Government," on March 28, was taken up. The league will support the negative.

MAN HURT IN ODD ACCIDENT

Charles Ingram, 1330 Grant Street, suffered an eye injury, a cut hand and internal injuries when he was knocked down by a hand cart in a freak accident at Quadra Street and Topaz Avenue yesterday.

According to a police report, after William Carter, 777 St. Patrick Street, driving north on Quadra Street, collided with one of the city's hand carts used by boulevard men, the cart careened across the intersection at Topaz Avenue, jumped the curb, and struck Mr. Ingram, who was pushing a lawn mower. He was taken to Dr. F. M. Bryant's office by Mr. Carter and was subsequently removed to the Jubilee Hospital. The car was completely wrecked by the accident.

Mr. Carter told police visibility was bad at the time and he had not seen the cart which was parked at the roadside.

PASSES AWAY AT HER HOME

Mrs. Frank C. Paterson Mourned By Wide Circle of Friends

Mrs. Margaret Frances Paterson, wife of Frank C. Paterson, passed away yesterday at her home, 1010 Craigdarroch Road.

Born near Kemptville, Ontario, she was a resident of Brandon and Winnipeg for 30 years, and

LATE MRS. F. C. PATERSON

had lived in Victoria for the past 25 years. She was a member of First United Church.

On November 13, 1934, Mr. and Mrs. Paterson celebrated their golden wedding, having been married in 1884 at Brandon, Manitoba, by the late Rev. A. H. Cameron. They had a wide circle of friends, who will learn with deep sorrow of her passing.

She is survived by her husband; three daughters: Mrs. J. D. Ormsby, Vancouver; Bell in Winnipeg, and Florence, at home, and one son, Robert, in Victoria.

The funeral service will be held at 3.30 tomorrow afternoon, in McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., pastor of First United Church, will officiate, and interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

NEW WELFARE BOARD NAMED

P. Walker Heads Administration Group Within Civil Service

Hon. G. M. Weir, Provincial Secretary, announced today the appointment of a new Welfare Institutions Board, consisting of members of the staff of the health and welfare services, who will serve without additional salary.

The board, whose duties commence on April 1, will consist of the following: P. Walker, deputy provincial secretary (chairman); Miss Isobel Harvey, superintendent of neglected children; Miss Laura Holland, supervisor of the welfare field service; Dr. A. S. Lamb of the division of tuberculosis control, and Mrs. Annie G. Westman, superintendent of the girls' industrial school. Miss Laura Holland was recently appointed chief inspector under the Welfare Institutions Licensing Act, which is the first comprehensive legislation of this kind in any Canadian province. It gives to the board authority to license and to inspect private institutions caring for children living apart from their parents, for expectant mothers, for the aged and infirm, and for destitute persons generally. In the past there has been little or no supervision of such institutions, and standards in some of them have been very poor, it was explained.

FINGERPRINTS FINAL PROOF

Previous convictions against George, Chinese charged in the City Police Court with indecent exposure were proved by detectives and fingerprint experts of the police department this morning.

Under cross-examination by C. L. Harrison, prosecutor, earlier in the week, George denied he had been in court before on similar charges.

Detective David Donaldson and T. H. Bamford, fingerprint experts, identified cards of fingerprints which they had taken of the accused. Mr. Bamford said he had taken prints in 1931 and also identified photos of the accused contained on the card. He said prints of the accused taken by Detective Donaldson when George was booked on the present charge were identical with those taken by him in 1931.

Detective William Stark and Constable Roy Woolsey testified they had arrested the accused on charges of indecent exposure in 1931 and 1933, respectively. Convictions were registered on both occasions.

OBITUARIES

JAMES DUPEN

Funeral services for James Dupen will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 in Sands Mortuary. The remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

GOTTLIEB POHL

Funeral services for Gottlieb Pohl were held yesterday afternoon in Sands Mortuary. Rev. E. W. Robinson officiated. During the services the congregation sang the hymns "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee." A duet, "No Night There," was rendered. The casket was surrounded by numerous beautiful floral tributes. The remains were laid at rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

MARY REBECCA DOIDGE

Many beautiful floral tributes and a large congregation of sorrowing friends marked the funeral held yesterday afternoon from the Thomson Funeral Home for Miss Mary Rebecca Doidge. Ven. Archdeacon Nunns conducted the service. The hymns were "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Safe In the Arms of Jesus." The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in the Colwood Burial Park. The following were pallbearers: W. A. Roberts, E. R. Cairns, W. F. Hyslop, G. L. Bone, Archie McKinnon and Thomas Richards.

ANNIE ELIZABETH GRAHAM

In the presence of sorrowing relatives and friends, funeral services were held in McCall Bros. funeral chapel yesterday afternoon for Mrs. Annie Elizabeth Graham. Rev. F. R. G. Dredge conducted the service, during which the hymns, "Rock of Ages" and "Abide With Me" were sung. Many beautiful flowers covered the casket. The pallbearers, all grandsons of the deceased, included: Wilfred Graham, Walter Graham, Howard Graham, Melvine Graham, Jack Miller and Don Miller. Interment was in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

HENRY WOOLCOTT

Many Salvationists attended the funeral services held in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon for Henry Woolcott. Adjutant Martin, assisted by Rev. F. W. McKinnon, Captain Muttart and Mrs. Adjutant Charles Watts, conducted the services, during which the congregational hymns, "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "When the Trumpet of the Lord Shall Sound," were sung. Mrs. H. Shingles sang as a solo, "The Old Rugged Cross." Interment was in Colwood Burial Park, with the following acting as pallbearers: F. G. Ramsdale, R. Eccles, R. Rankin, C. Venables, F. Roworth and A. E. Vaughan.

JOSEPH KNOWLES

The death occurred yesterday at the Jubilee Hospital, of Joseph Knowles, 1735 First Street, aged 60. Mr. Knowles was born in Westmorland, England, and had been a resident of Victoria for 26 years, and was in the city's employ for the last 20 years. He went overseas in 1916 as corporal in the Forestry Corps. Mr Knowles is survived by his widow at home, a son, Lawrence, and an adopted daughter, Mrs. Lily Piercy, also of Victoria, a nephew, Joseph Simpson of Sidney, B.C., and several brothers in England. Funeral services will be held on Saturday at 2 from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Canon F. A. P. Chadwick officiating. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

Publications Of Church Grow

C. Augustus Norwood of Boston, manager of committees on publication of the Christian Science Church, arrived here today to confer with Victoria church members on the work of his organization.

After a tour of the Pacific Coast, Mr. Norwood said he was gratified to see the growth of the Christian Science Church in all the states he had visited.

"The growth of any religion and every religion in this time of world stress is important," Mr. Norwood said, "because the real recovery of the world will have to be based on the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of Man, an ideal common to all branches of Christianity. This must be the basis of a world constitution on which prosperity and peace can be restored and re-established. Men everywhere today are recognizing that there is absolutely no other way of restoring and establishing them."

Branches of Mr. Norwood's committee, which has its headquarters in Boston, seat of the Christian Science Mother Church, are maintained in all states and all provinces of Canada and in many foreign countries. After his visit here, Mr. Norwood will visit local publication committees and confer with church members in the middle western states before returning to Boston.

Budget Slash Not Allocated

Board May Spread $12,000 Reduction Between Grounds and Salaries

The city school board has not yet decided from which votes it will deduct the $12,000 it has promised the council to cut from its estimates, Trustee Percy E. George, chairman, stated today.

But there is a trend of opinion in the board, he said, that the teachers' salary appropriations should not stand the full amount.

Previously it had been understood the board would cut from 5 to 3 per cent the salary restoration to be made this year and would deduct $2,000 from the estimate for wages following adjustments in September.

The board, at its meeting on Monday night, would probably make certain further cuts in its building and grounds appropriation and take the residue from the salaries, Trustee George thought.

Dances at High School Gym Show

Among the varied items on the program for the Victoria High School gymnasium display Friday and Saturday night will be a number of clever dances by the girls under the direction of Miss Harriett E. A. Doull, girls' physical training instructor.

Miss Jessie Pollock will do a Scottish dance, with Pipe Major D. Cameron providing the music, and Eva Milne will present a military tap.

Old time dancing will also be featured, including a waltz quadrille and a square dance to the tune of "Little Brown Jug," four folk dances to the tunes of "Oaken Leaves," "Adson's Saraband," "The Mock Hobby Horse," and "Pop Goes the Wessel." The main feature will be the Natural Dance," which the girls have spent many hard weeks preparing.

The boys' part of the programme, under the direction of William A. Roper, will feature nine pyramids, four on the parallel bars, two on the horse and three by the tumblers.

New Head Named To B.C. Branch

Appointment of Dr. Donald H. Williams as medical director of the provincial Division of Venereal Disease Control in place of Dr. S. C. Peterson was announced today by Hon. G. M. Weir, Provincial Secretary.

Dr. Peterson, in charge of the clinic for the last 18 months, has been asked to be relieved of his duties so he can devote time to private practice, Dr. Weir said. He will remain associated with the clinic as consulting physician.

Dr. S. E. Turvey, assistant director, has also relinquished some of his administrative duties at his own request, but will retain a part-time connection with the clinic.

Dominion Academy Recital Tomorrow

Tomorrow night at 8.15, artist-pupils and students of the Dominion Academy of Music will appear in recital at the Empress Hotel.

The program will comprise pianoforte, vocal and elocution groups and, while mainly in the hands of advanced and licentiate students, includes two or three talented juniors as well.

Those appearing on the program will be as follows:

Beverly Luff, Jimmie Stephenson, Toeka Sawada, Douglas Grant, Nancy Stephenson, Elise Le Gresley, Ailsa Ritchie, Maryan Peterson, Evelyn Harper, Doris MacDonald, Catherine Craig, Kathleen Lowe, Jean Grant, Robin Wood, Josephine Charlebois, and a verse-speaking class, including Ruth Horton, Julia Kent-Jones, Margaret Goldsmith, Rita Hebden, Nancy Anthony, Jean Grant, Phillipa Shaw and Betty Lou Horton.

Kathleen Irvine will be the accompanist.

Holy Name Group Elects Officers

John Neary was elected president of the Holy Name Society of St. Andrew's Cathedral at the annual meeting held in the Parish Hall Sunday evening. Other officers named were J. Haley, vice-presiden; J. O'Connell, marshal, and F. X. O'Neill, secretary.

The chaplain, Bishop J. C. Cody, addressed the members on the benefits obtained through their regular attendance at the services on the second Sunday of each month and outlined the work to be undertaken by the Holy Name Society at the Eucharistic Congress in Victoria next June.

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Really Irish on St. Patrick's Day

It may have been the influence of St. Patrick's Day in his Irish blood that prompted Alf Joyce, of the city collector's department, to tell his fellow employees:

"At 8.30 o'clock this morning I was talking to a fellow who was preparing to go to bed tonight."

But the statement happened to be quite rational. Mr. Joyce, a short wave enthusiast, had contacted another broadcasting amateur in Manila. Relative times at the locations of the two transmitters accounted for the apparent discrepancy.

In Assize Court this morning R. C. Lowe brought St. Patrick into the picture. Citing an authority to support one of his points, he quoted from the Irish Reports, noting it was fitting to use that document on this specific day.

In the courtroom Sergeant Dick Harvey of the Provincial Police has a bouquet of shamrock attached jauntily to the band of his uniform hat.

Overnight Entries At New Orleans

First race—Six furlongs: The Jurist 111, Sharp Thoughts 111, Flying 104, St. Nick 111, Repaid 111, Oh Ray 111, Little Marcelle 102, Bright Land 111, Just Dun 116, Muriel Lynn 111, John Marcum 112, Old Dominion 111, Capt. Nadi 107, Jack Emma 111, Silver Tidings 106, Blind Star 111, Bunty Ann 106, World Traveler 111.

Second race—Six furlongs: Little Hetty 104, Michigan Miss 104, Rebel Flag 104, Trace Boy 114, Lashybo 109, Princess Tour 106, Egyptian Queen 104, Which Blond 104, Gold Kin 104, Miss Leon 104, Chicken Lady 109, Green Country 114, Michigan Lady 109, Individual 109, Speedy Emily 104, Dancing Diana 104, Bracye Jackson 104, Livanna 104.

Third race—Six furlongs: Cromarty 114, Sippy McGee 109, Good Soldier 114, Upholder 109, Barney Allis 114, Doctor C. N. Sugar Jaf 109, My Goodness 104, Galabang 114, Bestman 114, Rolled Notes 109, Pot Au Mint 109, Commandman 114, Nopalosa Peace 109, Tonagar 109, Morley Firth 104, Sun Image 104.

Fourth race—Four furlongs: Ford Feather 112, Busy Nite 112, Good Odds 112, Condara 112, Liberty's Love 112, Macie Margaret 112, Umasee 112, We Shall 112, Lady Nadi 112, Nellie May Bane 112, Please Doctor 112, Dorothy Agness 112, Beth's Baby 112, Miss Kentex 112, Nopalosa Donna 112, Witchswall 112.

Fifth race—Mile and 70 yards: Joe Jay 110, Thistle Jock 110, Wardell Ormont 110, Mekalaw 105, Teeter Totter 110, No Doubt 110, Excitation 115, Irish Wake 115, Dick's Pal 105, Good Cheer 105.

Sixth race—Mile and 70 yards: Rock Him 110, Top Way 110, Miles Standish 112, Our Admiral 110, Pompish 105, Computer 110, Leading Bet 115, Captain Logan 115, Manly 110, Royal Purchase 105, M. J. Brennan 115, Unlawful 115, Muskille 110, Move After 115, Dame Grundy 105.

Seventh race—Mile and one-eighth: Might Surprise 108, Club Soda 103, Vinnoir 108, Kuvera 107, Easy 107, Attauquecho 103, Sun Caprice 107, Canora 107, Gustavia 103, Raffles Lad 107, Arctic Star 107, Lake Shore 112, Mad Career 112, Coming Back 98, Urchin 108.

CANADIANS IN CHINA MISSING

TORONTO (CP)—Three Canadian missionaries in China have not been heard of for two months, according to mission officials here. They are Miss Grace Gibbons of London, Ont., and Pearl and Bessie Reid, sisters, of Kingston, Ont. They were with the Southern Baptist Mission hospital at Chengchow.

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Announcements

DIED

PLAXTON—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on March 16, 1938, Charles Plaxton of Holland Avenue, Saanich, aged 85 years; born in Barrie, Ont., and a resident of Victoria since 1907. Survived by his widow, at home; five sons, Nairne E. Plaxton, Frank Plaxton and William Plaxton, all in Victoria; Charles Plaxton, Vancouver, and George Plaxton, in Bellingham, Wash., and also 18 grandchildren.

The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel and the funeral will take place on Friday at 3.15 p.m., Rev. A. de B. Owen officiating. Interment in the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park (Winnipeg papers please copy.)

MOORE—On Tuesday, March 15, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital; Maude May Moore, aged 59 years. The late Mrs. Moore was born in New Brunswick and had been a resident of this city for the last 18 months. She is survived by her husband, of this city; one daughter, Mrs. K. Patterson, of Winnipeg, Man., and two sons, Crawford and Kenneth, of Penticton, B.C.

The funeral will take place from McCall Bros. Funeral Chapel Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

PATERSON—On March 16 at her home, 1010 Craigdarroch Road, Margaret Frances, beloved wife of Frank C. Paterson. Born near Kemptville, Ont., a resident of Brandon and Winnipeg, Man., for 30 years, and had resided in Victoria for the last 25 years. Besides her husband, she leaves three daughters, Mrs. J. D. Ormsby of Vancouver, B.C.; Belle of Winnipeg, Man., and Florence, at home, and one son, Robert, in Victoria.

The funeral service will be held on Friday, March 18, at 3.30 o'clock, from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, Dr. W. G. Wilson officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

DUPEN—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Monday, March 14, there passed away at the age of 87 years, James Dupen, late residence, 639 Yates Street, born in London, England, the late Mr. Dupen came to Victoria in 1904 from Banff, and prior to that had resided in Calgary. He was a member of the Pride of the Island Lodge No. 131, Sons of England; Aerie No. 12, Fraternal Order of Eagles, and the Naval Veterans Branch of the Canadian Legion. There remain to survive his passing three sons, Leslie Dupen, Bakersfield, Calif.; J. E. Dupen, Seattle, Wash., and A. E. Dupen, Lethbridge, Alta.; also one nephew, Thomas Dupen, South Edmonton, Alta.

Funeral services will be conducted in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary Ltd. on Friday, March 18, 1938, at 2 o'clock. The remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

KNOWLES—On March 16, 1938, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Joseph Knowles of 1735 Fort Street, aged 60 years; born in Milnthorp, Kendal, Westmoreland, England, and a resident of Victoria for 28 years. He leaves to mourn his loss, besides his widow, one son, Lawrence, and one adopted daughter, Mrs. Lily Piercy, all in Victoria, and several brothers in England; one nephew, Joseph Simpson, Sidney, B.C., and also several nieces.

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OLD-TIME DANCE, VICTORIA WEST school auditorium, Friday, March 18, 8.30-12.30; Stewart's orchestra; Don Gayley, M.C.; instruction given, 8.15 to 8.45; refreshments; admission 25c. 7209-2-65

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ST. ANDREW'S AND CALEDONIAN SOCIETY regular meeting, Thursday, March 17. Lady members please bring refreshments. 7220-1-64

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1, 4 Modern stage star.
11 Place.
12 Wattle tree.
13 Brooch.
15 Being.
16 Shoe co-stars with her ——.
18 Article.
19 Preposition.
20 Dispatched.
21 Bridle strap.
23 Either.
24 Grudge.
25 Visible vapor.
27 To bury.
29 Register of electors.
31 To require.
32 Northeast.
33 Slipped.
34 Aperture.
35 Fish.
36 Bronze.
37 Sacred song.
39 Sea agle.
40 Like.
41 College girl.
43 Street.
45 Eye tumor.
46 Constellation.
49 Poem.
51 Bitter herb.
53 Dwelling.
55 Gaelic.
57 She was born in ——.
58 She first attained fame in ——.

VERTICAL
1 Cotton fibre.
2 Affirmative.
3 Chaos.
4 Cherished.
5 Eye.
6 Approaches.
7 Dogma.
8 Negative.
9 Almond.
10 To repeat a sound.
11 She rates among the —— actresses in America.
12 To butt.
14 Forerunners.
16 One who inherits.
17 To perish.
20 Hurried.
22 Dozes.
24 Stairs.
26 Grinding tooth.
28 Low tides.
30 Legal claims.
32 Nomarchy.
35 To satiate.
38 Performed.
39 Completed.
40 Grand-parental.
42 Flatfish.
44 Three.
45 Male child.
47 Fabulous bird.
48 Stir.
50 Silkworm.
52 Behold.
53 Form of "a."
54 Type standard.
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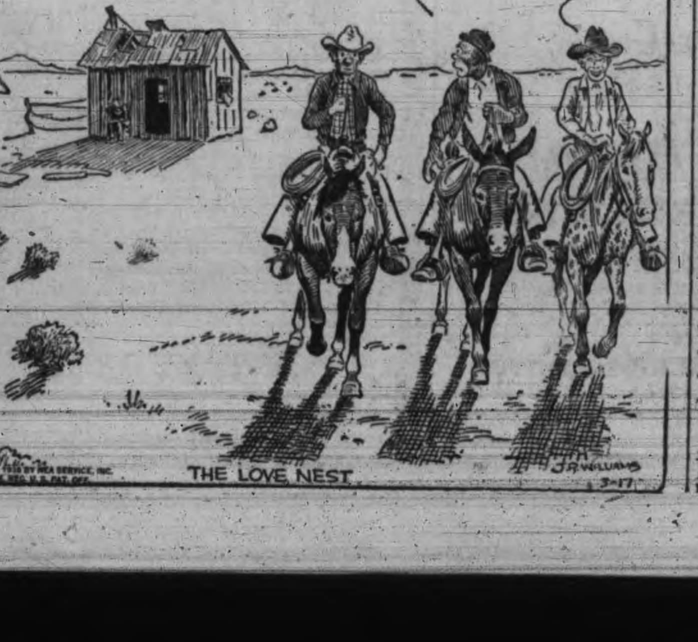

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Real Estate

49 HOUSES FOR SALE

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FUNERAL NOTICE

Members of Victoria Aerie No. 12, Fraternal Order of Eagles, are requested to meet at Sand's Funeral Parlors, 1803 Quadra Street, on Friday, March 18, at 2 p.m., to attend the funeral of our late Brother James Dupen.

P. BABCOCK, Worthy President.
JAS. WILMHURST, Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICE

PRIDE OF THE ISLAND LODGE No. 131 SONS OF ENGLAND

Members are requested to meet at Sands' Mortuary Ltd., Quadra and North Park Streets, on Friday, March 18, at 2 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Brother James Dupen.

Visiting brethren are invited to attend.

By order of the Worthy President.
W. J. C. BROWN,
Secretary.

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Notice is hereby given that I shall sell by auction on Monday, March 21, at 10 a.m., one female Scotch Terrier, unless claimed before said date and fees paid.

(Sgd.) H. W. V. PECKNOLD.

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Five rooms—2 Bedrooms, fireplaces in Living-room and Dining-room; Pantry and Bathroom off Kitchen. Lane at rear. Taxes about $46.00.

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OPEN EVENINGS

Attention, Wreckers!

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up until noon on Monday, March 21, 1938, for pulling down and removing certain buildings on Lot 5, Map 930, Fairfield Estate.

For specifications and further particulars apply to the Purchasing Department.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

E. S. MICHELL,
City Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, Victoria, B.C.,
March 17, 1938.

Western Story At the Columbia

A thrilling story of the days of 1889, entitled "Cherokee Strip" opened at the Columbia Theatre today.

The locale is in what was formerly Indian Territory and what is today known as the State of Oklahoma. To produce this picture officials of First National read old newspapers and talked to pioneers of the district.

There are many exciting scenes in this picture, which shows the west of 50 years ago as a dangerous place in which to live. It realistically portrays the brave-hearted people who lived there and the romantic interest is well handled.

Dick Foran, the singing cowboy takes the leading role and playing opposite him are Jane Bryan and Helen Valkis.

"Nothing Sacred" Here on Monday

Carole Lombard and Fredric March are co-starred in the David O. Selznick teachnicolor comedy, "Nothing Sacred," which will open at the Plaza Theatre on Monday.

Hilarious scenes of the screen play, written by Ben Hecht, from an original story by James H. Street, are of the type in which fast action and dialogue are mingled.

Bowling Scores

OLYMPIC ALLEYS
COMMERCIAL B FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Times—J. Caddell 573, R. Knott 518, J. Bacon 485, A. Cliff 477, M. Lawson 583, handicap minus 78. Total 2,556.

Coast Hardware—G. Morley 532, F. Goodman 556, W. Fulton 460, G. Thackeray 496, B. Pickup 523, handicap minus 168. Total 2,479.

Times won two.

Macdonald's Consolidated Ltd.—F. Ray 484, J. Collins 475, J. R. Angus 563, T. Lamble 555, F. Young 535, handicap plus 39. Total 2,591.

Scott & Peden—W. Peden 581, F. Hughes 487, E. Jones 523, E. Wagg 445, L. McClellan 561, handicap plus 9. Total 2,606.

Macdonald's Consolidated Ltd. won two.

Northwestern Creamery—G. Ozard 566, N. Grant 534, W. McGregor 507, R. Crawford 556, F. Dillabough 492, handicap minus 60. Total 2,593.

Scott & Peden B—J. Newton 459, J. Peden 434, G. Todd 446, H. McNeil 383, S. Mackey 537, handicap plus 150. Total 2,409.

Northwestern Creamery won three.

Bright Comedy At the Plaza

James Ellison Carries Leading Role in "23 and a Half Hours Leave"

How a skylarking, devil-may-care group of young American soldiers, in the hectic days of 1917, spend their last day before embarking for overseas, forms the theme of Grand National's irresistibly funny comedy, "23½ Hours Leave," which opens at the Plaza Theatre today with James Ellison and the piquant and charming Terry Walker in the romantic leads.

The picture, which is based on the Mary Roberts Rinehart classic of the 1917 training camps is consistently fast in tempo and its comedy at times is uproarious in its effects.

A strong supporting cast assembled by Grand National and Producer Douglas MacLean, contributes adequately to the story of "23½ Hours Leave." Among those who may be mentioned are Morgan Hill, Wally Maher, Andy Andrews, Pat Gleason, Arthur Lake, Murray Alper, John Kelly, Ward Bond and Russell Hicks.

"ROAD BACK" AT OAK BAY

Powerful Drama of Great War Opens Today

The event that gave the entire world hopes of surcease from strife forever after, the signing of the Armistice, was made an important part of "The Road Back," the Universal film directed by James Whale from Erich Maria Remarque's novel. The picture, which opened at the Oak Bay Theatre today, shows the meeting between Marshal Foch and the German emissaries.

The dramatic scene is re-enacted as it occurred on the railway train in a forest near Compiegne, France, on November 11, 1918.

Murder mystery films provide the ideal relaxation for the tired professional man and woman. That is the contention of John Barrymore, now appearing in "Night Club Scandal," which is the second feature.

Gladys Swarthout Will Appear Here

Gladys Swarthout, John Boles and John Barrymore head the cast of a witty comedy studded with brilliant songs in "Romance in the Dark," the Paramount picture which will open tomorrow at the Dominion Theatre.

The supporting cast includes Claire Dodd, as the beautiful countess, Fritz Feld, who won widespread attention for his comic performance in "I Met Him in Paris," Curt Bois and Carlos de Valdez. H. C. Potter directed.

Anna May Wong is starred in "Dangerous to Know," which will also be on this program.

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"Yank at Oxford" Opens Tomorrow

First of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's British-made productions, "A Yank at Oxford," opening at the Capitol Theatre tomorrow, establishes an exceedingly high mark at which future British-produced films may shoot.

In addition to Robert Taylor, stalwart and able in his first athletic role, "A Yank at Oxford" offers memorable performances by Lionel Barrymore and Maureen O'Sullivan, and outstanding characterizations by a group of British players headed by Vivien Leigh, Edmund Gwenn and Griffith Jones.

Atlas Will Star Famed Character

"Bulldog Drummond's Revenge" will open tomorrow at the Atlas Theatre.

This story is another screen treatment of a famous novel by H. C. "Sapper" McNeile. Its brilliant cast is headed by John Barrymore, John Howard in the title role, Louise Campbell, Reginald Denny and E. E. Clive, with a large supporting cast which includes in its number Ethel Clayton, Lucien Littlefield, Bennie Bartlett and many others.

Dick Powell will appear in "Hollywood Hotel," which will also be shown.

Where to Go Tonight
(As Advertised)

ATLAS — Mae West in "Every Day's a Holiday."

CAPITOL — "The Baroness and the Butler," starring William Powell and Annabella.

COLUMBIA—"The Cherokee Strip," with Dick Foran.

DOMINION — "Of Human Hearts," starring Walter Huston.

OAK BAY — "The Road Back," with John King.

PLAZA — "23½ Hours Leave," starring James Ellison.

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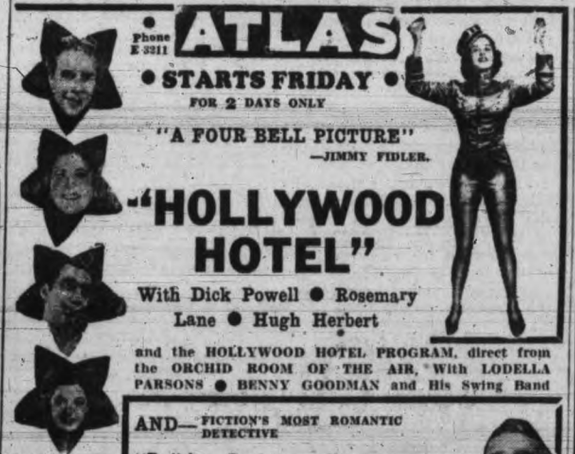

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CONSCRIPTION ACT IS DEAD

Canadian Service Measure Off Statute Books, Speaker of House Says

OTTAWA (CP)—The Military Service Act, 1917, has disappeared from the statute books of Canada and therefore a bill to repeal it cannot be introduced in the House of Commons, Hon. Pierre Casgrain, Speaker, ruled this afternoon.

Mr. Casgrain thus decided a point of order raised Wednesday by Rene A. Pelletier, Social Credit, Peace River, Alta., who contested a ruling of the clerk of the Commons to the effect he could not introduce a repealing bill.

The Military Service Act was Canada's Great War conscription measure under which 120,000 men were called to the colors.

The act, said the speaker, had become spent at the end of the Great War because its terms provided it should be effective only for the duration of the war. Furthermore, it was actually repealed by the adoption of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1927, which noted the act as repealed. It no longer appeared in the statute books.

HULL DECLARES U.S. MUST ARM

Condemning Aggression, He Says Republic Will Uphold Its World Rights

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of State Cordell Hull, declaring the United States must hold to its rights in its quest for world peace, laid down today a policy of arming for protection against "international lawlessness."

"It is my considered judgment that, in the present state of world affairs, to do less than is now proposed would lay our country open to unpredictable hazards," he said, referring to the naval expansion program.

Mr. Hull treated, in measured phrases, every aspect of the world situation in an address before the National Press Club.

"The momentous question," he said, "is whether the doctrine of force shall become enthroned once more and bring in its wake, inexorably, international anarchy and a relapse into barbarism."

NO ALLIANCES

The cabinet officer, as the United States' chief foreign minister, expounded a policy of peace, no alliances, collaboration with peaceful nations, military preparation and opposition to the "seclusionist viewpoint."

"We may seek to withdraw from participation in world affairs," he said, "but we can not thereby withdraw from the world itself. Isolation is not a means to security, it is a fruitful source of insecurity."

Mr. Hull, flanked by officials of the State Department, expressed "our deep concern over the rising tide of lawlessness, the growing disregard of treaties, the increasing reversion to the use of force, and the numerous other emerging in the sphere of internaominious tendencies which are tional relations."

His speech abounded with such sharp phrases as "methods of violence," "another dark night of international anarchy," "rule of force," "violators of international decencies," "medieval chaos" and "blind extremism."

Austria Arrest Warning Given

German Police Head Says "Clericals" to Be Seized; Masons Banned

VIENNA (AP) — Heinrich Himmler, chief of all Germany's police, today ordered the arrest of all persons belonging to "certain clerical quarters," who he said were spreading "false rumors about new National Socialist Austria."

The order mentioned no names, but it warned an immediate cleanup was in store for those "clericals." Their object, he said, was not only to sow unrest within, but also to disturb the Reich's good foreign relations.

He blamed the "clericals" for starting a rumor that Premier Mussolini had given back to Germany the South Tyrol, formerly a part of Austria.

MASONS BARRED

A notice that all Free Mason lodges were watched and no one was permitted to enter completed the day's warnings. The lodges, the notice said, later will be cleaned out and closed for good.

McGeer Urges Works Program

Addresses Canadian Conference of Mayors and Municipalities

OTTAWA (CP)—The federal government was bent on balancing its budget irrespective of the burdens imposed on provinces and municipalities, G. G. McGeer, K.C., Liberal M.P. for Vancouver-Burrard, said today in an address to the Canadian Conference of Mayors and Municipalities.

"A truly balanced budget must be one that will make it possible for the provinces and the municipalities to balance their budgets," he said.

Canada was no longer primarily an agricultural country, he added. More than 6,000,000 of her people were urban dwellers. Municipal councils touched more vitally the lives of the people than did the provincial or federal governments.

"But this confiscatory tax burden on real estate in the municipalities cannot continue. It is all right for men to sit in Legislatures and Parliament and shoulder the burden on the municipalities, but it can't go on."

MATERIALS HERE

Housing was needed urgently, said Mr. McGeer. Canada had all the materials available in her forests, mines and factories.

Unemployment relief must be recognized as a national problem to be financed nationally, said Mr. McGeer. Care of indigents, hospitalization of the poor, mothers' allowances and the like should also be national responsibilities.

A federal works program on housing, parks, stadia and auditoriums would get things going in Canada, he said. These things could never be financed by municipal taxes on real estate.

"Until we have established security and progress in Canadian cities we can have no real progress in Canada," he said.

SPANISH CITY STATED FALLEN

Rebels Claim Capture of Caspe, Beleaguered Government Position

HENDAYE, France (AP) — Spanish insurgents reported today they had driven the last government defenders from Caspe and had occupied the town in their eastward march toward the Mediterranean.

Dispatches from Burgos, seat of General Franco's government, said Caspe was taken with the aid of reinforcements from Alcaniz, advance point of the insurgent drive menacing the government-held coast.

Earlier government reports said government forces southeast of Caspe had rallied and smashed through insurgent lines to relieve their beleaguered garrison there. They said then the insurgents' drive had been stopped and Franco's troops had been forced to turn back to smother resistance on their left flank.

The government claimed its forces held the hospital and also the old chateau of the Knights of the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem in the strategic town at the fork of the Ebro and Guadalupe Rivers, 50 miles from the Mediterranean.

VICTORIA BASKETBALL TEAMS IN TRIPLE WIN

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the Victorians last night, piloting them through to a 44 to 27 win.

This curly-haired hooper scurried around the floor like a tornado, sinking innumerable shots from under the hoop. The score sheet credits him with 19 points. After 10 minutes Victoria was leading 13 to 4 and the teams were on a par for the remainder of the half, each notching eight points. In the final 20 minutes, however, Hoyle-Brown had things pretty well under control. In this stanza, they kept drawing the mainland boys out and then shooting Goldsmith and Ian McKeachie in through the wide open defence to score under the hoop.

McKeachie was next high in scoring, with an even dozen points.

Macmurchie and Levy, Victoria, and Kenneth, Duncan, were the referees.

Teams and individual scorers follow:

Hoyle-Brown—Goldsmith (19), Preston (1), H. McLean (2), S. McLean (6), Caddell (4), I. McKeachie (12), Elliott, Campbell and Levy.

Cloverdale—Gardner (5), Temblett (5), Matheson (3), McKnight (8), Hadden (2), McCallum (4), Charbonneau, Mountain (2), Michaud and Bailey.

Victoria Adverts—D. Fuller, J. McDonald (2), I. Michelson, G. McAnerin, M. McDonald (8), A. Taylor (11), T. Kennedy (3), M. Harknett (1), D. Caley (4) and I. Belcher.

Cumberland—A. McMillan, M. Tabacco, G. Woods (7), D. Brown (5), Dot Brown, L. Conn, B. McNeil, A. Younger and D. Hill (2).

Gainers' Superiors—M. Peden (10), L. Spark (4), V. Hannan, E. Peden (7), E. Leason, D. O'Connor (5), V. Edwards (2), M. Purdy and D. Beere (4).

Vancouver Spencers—R. Wilson (7), M. Hume (11), D. Watts, M. Anderson (6), V. Russell (2), N. Sellers (6), L. Rowand, M. Gregson (4) and J. Bullock (3).

Leaders In Slump After Early Rally

NEW YORK (AP)—Selected stocks swung into an early rally in today's market, but follow-through steam was lacking and gains of fractions to two or more points among leading industrials were eventually cut or changed into losses.

The war scare of yesterday, which toppled world markets generally, seemed to have lessened, but no great amount of buying cheerfulness was exhibited in the financial sector.

Gold mines were exceptionally weak.

The list was fairly active at the start, but dealings subsequently slowed to a crawl. Transfers were around 550,000 shares.

The bond market turned lower, after a mixed opening, with some United States Government obligations showing easiness.

Losses of 3-32s to 9-32s were dominant in United States issues, with a handful of gains of around 4-32s.

Railroad lines, with a few exceptions, lost initial gains and were fractions to a point or more lower, including Erie 5s of '75, Great Northern 4½s of '77 E and 4s of '45, Illinois Central 4¾s and New York Central 5s.

International Nickel gained nearly a point, but other Canadian issues dipped backward. Lake Shore dropped around 1 and smaller losses were rung up by Distillers and Dominion Stores.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

Thirty industrials—122.03, off 0.84.

Twenty rails—24.54, off 0.57.

Twenty utilities—18.15, off 0.22.

Forty bonds—87.18, off 0.43.

	High	Low	Close
Air Reduction	54-4	52-6	52-6
Allied Chemicals	162	160-7	160-7
Allis Chalmers	47	46	46
Allied Stores	6-6		6-6
American Can	87	85-4	85-4
American Celanese	14		14
American For. Power	3-2	3	3
American L. and Z.	6-4		6-4
American Locomotive	18-4	18-1	18-1
American P. and L.	4-5	4-4	4-4
American Radiator	12-3	11-5	11-5
American Rolling Mills	18-6	17-7	17-7
American Smelter	47-7	46	46
American Tel. and Tel.	130-6	128-6	128-6
American Tobacco	67	66-4	66-4
American Waterworks	8-7	8-4	8-4
Anaconda Copper	32	30-5	30-7
Atchison Railway	32	29-7	30
Atlantic Refining	22	21-5	21-5
B. and O. Railway	6-7	6-2	6-2
Baldwin Locomotive	8-6	8-5	8-6
Bendix Aviation	11-7	11-2	11-2
Beth. Steel	57-2	55	55-2
Boeing	29-2	27-7	27-7
Borden	17-6	17-2	17-2
Borg Warner	23-6	23-1	23-1
Briggs	21-4	21-2	21-2
Canada Dry	17-4	16-5	16-5
C. P. R.	6	5-7	5-7
Cat. Tractor	42	40-1	40-1
Case (J. I)	86-1	81	81
Cerro de Pasco	39-4	38-7	38-7
C. and O. Railway	31-2	30-4	30-6
Chrysler	52-6	50	50-1
Columbia Gas	7-1	6-7	6-7
Commercial Credit	33-4	32-7	32-7
Commercial Solvent	7-4	7-3	7-4
Commonwealth and So.	1-4	1-3	1-4
Congoleum	19-6	19-5	19-5
Con. Edison	20-6	20-3	20-3
Cont. Can	42-1	41	41
Cons. Oil	9	8-7	8-7
Cont. Oil	28-3	27-6	28
Crown Zellerbach	9-4	9-2	9-2
Crucible Steel	32-4	31-6	32
Curtiss Wright	4-2	4-1	4-2
Curtiss Wright A	16-7	16	16
Deere and Co.	23-3	22-2	22-2
Douglas Aircraft	40-7	39-5	39-6
DuPont	117-6	115	115
Eastman Kodak	150		150
El. Auto Lite xd	18	17-3	17-3
El. Power and Lite	9-1		9-1
Fairbanks Morse	30	29-6	30
Freeport Texas	26-6		26-6
General Foods	28-2	27-2	27-2
Gen. Electric xd	39	37-6	37-7
General Motors	34-4	33-4	33-4
Goodyear	21-4	20-2	20-2
Granby Copper	4-5		4-5
Great Northern	19-5	17-4	17-4
Int. Harvester	63-5	62-4	62-4
Houston Oil	7-2	6-7	6-7
Howe Sound xd	44-4		44-4
Hudson Motors	7-2	7-1	7-1
Hupmobile Motors	1		1
Inspiration Copper	12-3	12-1	12-1
Int. Nickel	48-7	47-1	47-1
Ind. Rayon	17-6		17-6
Int. Tel.	7-3	7-2	7
Ill. Central	9-2	8-6	8-6
Johns Manville	75	72-2	72-2
Kennecott Copper	37	35-5	35-5
Kresge	17-1		17-1
Lambert Co.	10-5		10-5
L. and M. Tobacco	89-4	88-6	89-4
Ludlum Steel	17	16-7	16-7
Loew's	46	44-4	44-4
Lorillard	15-7		15-7
Matheson Alkali	27	26-4	26-4
Mexican Seaboard	23-2	22-6	22-6
Min. Honeywell	62		62
Montgomery Ward, xd.	34-2	32-7	32-7
Motor Wheel	11-1		11-1
Nash Kelvinator	8-6	8-4	8-4
National Biscuit	20-1	19-5	19-6
National Dairy Products	13-4	13-3	13-4
National Distilleries	21-4	20-5	20-6
National P. and L	6-5		6-5
New York Central	15	14-2	14-2
North American Co.	17-6	17-1	17-1
North American Avi.	8-1	7-7	7-7
Northern Pacific	9-6	9	9
Ohio Oil	12-3	12-2	12-2
Owens Ill. Glass	49-6	49-4	49-4
Packard	4-2		4-2
Paramount Pictures	8-7	8-4	8-4
Pennsylvania Railway	18-7	17-7	17-7
People's Gas	27-2	27	27-2
Phillips Pete.	36-6	35-6	35-6
Pullman	28-7	28-2	28-2
Pure Oil	11-4	11-1	11-2
Radio	6-1	6	6
Remington Rand	13	12-6	13
Republic Iron and Steel	16-7	16	16-1
Reynolds Tobacco	37-6	37-3	37-6
Schenley	21-1	21	21
Sears Roebuck	58-6	57	57
Shell Union	13-4	13-2	13-4
Socony Vacuum	14	13-6	13-6
Southern Pacific	14-4	13	13-1
Southern Railway	9-3	8-5	8-5
Sperry Corp	19-5	18-6	18-6
Standard Brands	7-3	7-2	7-2
Standard Oil Cal.	30-6	30	30-1
Standard Oil N.J.	49-4	48-1	48-1
Stewart Warner	8-4	8-2	8-2
Studebaker	5-1	5	5
Texas Corp.	31-2	31-1	31-1
Timken	40-4	39-6	39-6
Trans-American	10-2	10	10-1
Twentieth Century Fox	21-6	21-4	21-4
Underwood Elliott	49-1		49-1
Union Carbide	73-4	71-2	71-2
Union Oil Cal.	20-2	19-7	19-7
Union Pacific	70	68-4	68-4
United Aircraft	24-7	24-1	24-3
United Corp.	2-6		2-6
United Fruit	61-3	61-2	61-2
United Gas and Imp.	10	9-7	9-7
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	27-2	26-4	26-7
U.S. Indus. Alcohol	17		17
U.S. Realty	4-1		4-1
U.S. Rubber	32-2	30-4	30-4
Do. pfd.	80	76-2	76-2
U.S. Smelting	67		67
U.S. Steel	52-4	51	51-2
Vanadium	16-5	16-2	16-3
Warner Bros.	5-1	5	5
Westinghouse Airbrake	23-4	21-6	21-6
Westinghouse Electric	91-4	89-4	89-4
Western Union	22-4	20-3	20-4
White Motor	9	8-4	8-4
Woolworth	41-2	40-6	40-6
Youngstown S. and T.	36-4	34-7	35-4
Zenith Radio	13-6	13-5	13-5

VANCOUVER BUTTER

VANCOUVER—Wholesale butter quotations to retailers: Cartons 38, prints 37.

Dozen Issues Hit New Low

MONTREAL (CP) — Stocks slumped badly at the close of trading on Montreal Stock Exchange today with about a dozen issues slipped to new low marks for the year.

Hollinger and Noranda hit new lows, the latter losing more than a point. Nickel held a fractional gain.

St. Lawrence Paper preferred slid down almost three for a new low. Other new lows were registered by Bathurst, off a point, and Price Brothers preferred, down two.

Steel of Canada gained a point, but Canada Cement issues, Dominion Bridge and Foundation Company found new low levels.

Canadian Car common hit a new low, and National Steel Car slipped two to a new low at 35. Brazilian gained a small fraction. International Pete slipped a point.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Close
Associated Breweries	12¼
Bathurst P.P.	7½
Bawlf Grain	1½
Do. pfd.	15
Bell Telephone	160½
B.C. Power	29¾
Bruck Silk	3½
Bldg. Products	47
Canada Cement	8
Do. pfd.	98¼
Can. Nor. Power	18
Can Steamships	2
Do. pfd.	7½
Can. Car. Foundry	7½
Do. pfd.	21½
Canadian Celanese	11
Do. pfd.	100
Can. Ind. Alcohol	2½
Do. B	1½
Can. Locomotives	8
C. P. R.	6
Cons. Smelters	53¾
Crown Cork	17½
Seagrams	12
Domn. Coal pfd.	18
Do. B	11
Domn. Tar	5½
Dryden Paper	5½
English Electric	29
Foundation of Canada	9
Gen. Steel Wares	5½
Do. rights	10
Gatineau	9
Do. pfd.	80
Chas. Gurds	7
Canada Gypsums	4¾
Hamilton Bridge	5½
Hollinger	11¾
Howard Smith	12
Impl. Oil	17½
Impl. Tobacco	13¾
Ind. Accep. Corp.	27½
Inter. Nickel	47¼
Inter. Pete	28¾
Inter. Power	4¼
Lakewoods	12
Massey Harris	5¾
McColl	12
Montreal Power	29
National Breweries	36¼
Do. pfd.	38
National Steel Car	35
Noranda	53½
Ogilvies	25½
Power Corp.	10¾
Price Bros.	10
Do. pfd.	40
Quebec Power	15
St. Lawrence Corp	3
Do. pfd.	11¾
St. Lawrence Flour	20
St. Lawrence Paper pfd.	30
Shawinigan W.P.	19
Simons	7¾
Do. pfd.	110
Sou. Canada Power	13
Steel of Canada	62
Do. pfd.	58
United Steel	3½
Winnipeg Elec.	2
CURB	
Abitibi	1½
Do pfd	11¼
Asbestos	53
Bathurst B	2¼
Beauharnois	3¾
B.A. Oil	18¾
Can. Sugar	64
Can. Malting	30
Can Vickers	5
Do. Pfd.	17
Cons. Paper	4¼
Domn. Stores	6½
Donnaconna	3½
Do. B	3
Fairchilds	4
Ford A	15¾
Fraser	12
Gen. Steel Wares pfd.	59
Massey pfd.	37¾
McColl pfd.	91
Page Hersey	89½
Royalite	38½
Hiram Walkers	37
Do. pfd.	18¼
BANKS	
Canada	59½
Commerce	162
Montreal	200
Royal	174

Early Trading At Toronto Best

TORONTO (CP) — Toronto stock prices displayed their best tone in the first hour today and, after churning about narrowly, tightening up again moderately. Volume was off a little from that of Wednesday at about 1,475,000 shares.

Standing out was the decline of Lake Shore to 46, off nearly 4. It recovered to close around 47½. Dome weakened about 2. Hollinger, McIntyre and Buffalo-Ankerite posted minor losses.

MacLeod - Cockshutt pressed forward to 2.60 to 2.65, up 25. Net gains of 15 to 35 showed at the close for Macassa, Little Long Lac, Teck-Hughes, O'Brien, Hard Rock and Oro Plata. Nickel, Sherritt and Waite-Amulet gained. Noranda touched 54 and recovered part of the point loss.

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	160	161
Brazilian T. L. and P.	8¾	9¼
B.A. Oil	19¼	19½
B.C. Power A	30	30½
Canada Cement	8¾	9¼
Do. pfd.	98	100
Canadian Pacific	6	6½
Fanny Farmer	17	17½
Ford A	15½	16¼
Gypsum, Lime and Alab.		5¾
Imperial Oil	17½	17¾
Imperial Tobacco	13¾	14
Inter. Petroleum	28½	29¼
Kelvinator of Canada	13½	14
McColl Frontenac	11½	
Do. pfd.	91	91½
Montreal Power com.		29
Shawinigan W. and P.	18¾	19½
Bank of Montreal	199	
Royal Bank	175	177

(By J. W. Jones Ltd.)

	Close
Aldermac	47
Bidgood Kirkland	28
Buffalo Ankerite	1250
Canadian Malartic	80
Cartier Malartic	7
Castle Tretheway	58
Central Patricia	230
Chemical Research	30
Cons. Chibougamau	23
Dome Mines	4725
East Malartic	118
Eldorado	217
Falconbridge	550
Federal Kirkland	8
Francoeur	31
God's Lake	37
Gunnar Gold	70
Hard Rock	146
Hollinger	1150
Howey Gold	23
Hudson Bay	2700
Jacola	23½
Jellico	45
J.M. Consolidated	7
Kirkland Lake	102
Lake Shore	4675
Leitch Gold	72
Little Long Lac	425
McIntyre	3800
McKenzie Red Lake	75
McLeod Cockshutt	255
McWatters Gold	46
Macassa	375
Mining Corp.	175
Moneta	180
Nipissing	181
Noranda	5360
O'Brien Gold	310
Pamour Porcupine	295
Paymaster	48
Pend Oreille	177
Perron Gold	115
Pickle Crow	405
Powell Rouyn	155
Premier Gold	195
Preston East Dome	81
Read Authier	275
Red Crest	16
Red Lake Gold Shores	20
Reno Gold	44
Sheep Creek	93
Shawkey	24
Sherritt Gordon	125
Siscoe	237
Sladen Malartic	94
Stadacona	23
Sudbury Basin	235
Sullivan	98
Sylvanite	270
Teck Hughes	465
Texas Canadian	117
Thompson Cadillac	20¼
Toburn	190
Ventures	485
Waite Amulet	145
Wright Hargreaves	660

BONDS

NEW YORK (AP) — Bond prices were mixed today with some railroad liens firming.

Austria 7s gained around 3 and Belgian issues regained part of the past few days' losses. U.S. treasury obligations were mostly lower.

FOREIGN

(By Burns & Wainwright Ltd.)

	New York Bid	Asked
Australia 4½% 1956	97.375	99.50
Bolivia 7% 1958	3.75	5.25
Chile 6% 1961	16.25	17.00
French 7% 1949	104.00	110.00
German 4½% 1965	25.50	26.125
Italy 7% 1951	74.50	76.50
Japan 6½% 1954	74.00	75.50
Norway 6% 1944	104.75	106.00
Peru 6% 1961	9.625	10.25
Sydney 5½% 1955	101.00	103.75
Uruguay 6% 1960	42.875	45.25

CORPORATION

(By Burns & Wainwright Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Public Utilities—		
B.C. Telephone 6% pfd.	108.25	110.75
B.C. Electric 6% pfd.	110.00	112.25
C.P.R. 3½% 1951	89.25	91.00
C.N.P. 5% 1953	103.75	105.50
Calgary Power 5% 1960	98.25	100.00
Gatineau Power 5% 1956	103.25	104.75
Montreal Power 3½% 1973	96.25	98.25
Shawinigan 4% 1961	99.25	101.00
Western Power 5% 1949	105.75	107.75
Industrials—		
Canada Steamships 5% 1957	76.25	77.75
Canada Cement 4½% 1951	102.75	104.50
Famous Players 4½% 1951	96.75	98.50
McColl Frontenac 6% 1949	104.25	106.00
Massey Harris 5% 1947	96.50	98.25
Simpsons Ltd. 4¾% 1951	95.50	97.25
Grain Issues—		
Alberta Pacific 6% 1946	74.50	79.50
Federal Grain 6% 1949	84.50	89.50
Reliance Grain 4½% 1952	84.50	90.50
United Grain 5% 1948	81.00	
Western Grain 6% 1949	36.50	40.50

PROVINCIAL—MUNICIPAL

(By Burns & Wainwright Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4% 1953	49.00	53.00
Do. 4½% 1956	50.50	54.00
Do. 5 % 1955	51.00	55.00
Do. 5½% 1947	52.50	56.50
Do. 6 % 1947	57.00	61.50
British Columbia 4% 1957	85.00	87.00
Do. 4½% 1953	93.00	95.00
Do. 5 % 1959	98.50	99.75
Do. 5½% 1945	100.25	101.25
Do. 6 % 1947	102.25	103.50
Manitoba 4% 1957	79.75	82.25
Do. 4½% 1960	82.25	84.75
Do. 5 % 1959	87.50	
Do. 5½% 1958	90.00	92.25
Do. 6 % 1947	94.50	96.25
New Brunswick 3½% 1956	95.75	97.25
Do. 4 % 1947	101.50	103.00
Do. 4½% 1961	103.75	105.25
Do. 5 % 1960	109.25	110.75
Do. 5½% 1950	111.50	113.00
Nova Scotia 3¼% 1956	96.75	98.25
Do. 3½% 1949	100.50	101.75
Do. 4½% 1952	108.50	109.75
Do. 5 % 1960	115.50	117.00
Ontario 3% 1951	98.50	99.50
Do. 3½% 1951	101.00	102.00
Do. 4½% 1949	112.00	113.00
Do. 5 % 1948	115.00	117.00
Do. 4½% 1970	116.25	117.75
Prince Edward Isl. 3% 1945	99.25	100.75
Quebec 3% 1951	96.25	97.25
Do. 3½% 1952	98.25	99.125
Do. 4½% 1958	108.75	110.25
Saskatchewan 4% 1954	65.25	67.75
Do. 4½% 1951	74.75	77.25
Do. 5 % 1958	72.75	75.25
Do. 5½% 1952	76.25	78.75
Do. 6 % 1953	80.75	83.25
Municipal—		
Montreal 5% 1945	104.50	108.00
Quebec 5% 1953	104.50	107.00
Toronto 6% 1953	116.50	
Vancouver 5% 1969	83.00	85.50
Winnipeg 4½% 1960	83.50	86.50

DOMINION

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
4½% September 1940	107	107¾
5 % November 1941	110⅝	111⅜
5 % October 1943	112⅞	113⅝
4½% October 1944	110½	111¼
4 % October 1943-48	107½	108½
4½% February 1946	110¾	111½
3¾% June 1946-49	101	102
3½% October 1944-49	102	103
3½% November 1948-51	99¾	100½
4 % October 1947-52	107	108
3 % June 1950-55	97	98
4½% November 1948-58	110½	111½
4½% November 1949-59	110⅝	111½
3¼% June 1956-66	98	99
3 % January 1962-67	94¾	95¾
3 % Perpetual	87¼	88½
G.T.P. 3% 1962	96	97½
Do. 4% 1962	107½	109
C.N.R. 3% 1944	102⅞	103⅝
Do. 3% 1945-50	96¾	97¾
Do. 3% 1948-53	96¼	97¼
C.No.R. 3½% 1958	98	101
C.N.R. 4½% 1951	112⅜	114
Do. 4½% 1957	112⅛	114
Do. 4¾% 1955	115½	116½
Do. 5 % 1954	116⅝	117½
Do. 5 % July 1969	115⅛	117
Do. 5 % October 1969	118	119½

New York Curb

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Close
American Cyanide B	22¼
American Super Power	⅝
Associated Gas and Electric	⅜
American Gas and Electric	23
Brazilian Traction	8⅝
Cities Service	1½
Electric Bond and Share	6⅝
Catalin Corp.	2⅝
Empire Fuel Gas 7% pfd.	32½
Ford A. Canada	15⅝
Ford, England	4⅝
Hudson Bay M. and S.	25⅝
Humble Oil	66⅛
Inter. Petroleum	28
Imperial Oil	17¼
Newmont Mining	58
Pioneer Gold	2⅝
Standard Oil Kentucky	16⅛
American Aluminum	75⅛
United Gas	3⅝
United P. and L. A	2
Caribbean Syndicate	1
Niagara Hudson Power	7
Distillers, England	22¼
Gulf Oil	38½
Pantepec Oil	6
Canadian Marconi	1
Fisk Rubber	6
Creo. Petroleum	23
Cord Corp.	1½
Lake Shore Mining	47¼
Teck Hughes	4½
Hecla Mining	8¾
Wright Hargreaves	6⅝
Segal Lock	⅝
Premier Gold	1⅝
Louisiana Land Exp.	7⅝

MONTREAL—Bar gold in London up 8 cents at $34.92 an ounce in Canadian funds; 140s 1d in British. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $35.10 in Canadian.

WHEAT FALLS AFTER RALLY

WINNIPEG (CP) — Wheat futures today rallied after 2-cent declines, but failed to show gains at the close of quiet session. Fair mill, overseas buying and short covering featured dealings. Final values were unchanged to ¾ cent lower, May, $1.19½, July $1.10⅞ to $1.10½ and October 92⅞ cents.

Early declines followed weakness at Liverpool, Chicago and Buenos Aires with traders adopting the attitude the European war threats were subsiding. Bulk of overseas buying was concentrated in the October future, but sales of Canadian wheat were estimated at 100,000 bushels or more.

Buenos Aires eased ⅜ to ½ cent and Liverpool was 1⅝ to 1⅝d lower.

Cash wheat dealings were light spreads fractionally higher for Nos. 2 and 3 northern and coarse grains followed wheat.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	P. Clo.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
May	119-4	118-4	119-7	117-6	119-4
July	110-7	109-7	110-7	108-7	110-4
Oct.	93-5	92-2	93-2	91-7	92-7
Oats—					
May	46-5	46-2	46-5	46-2	46-4
July	43-5	43-2	43-2	43-1	43-1
Oct.	38-5	38-4	38-4	38-3	38-3
Rye—					
May	74-7	74	74-4	73-4	73-6
July	74-3	73	73-7	73	73-1
Barley—					
May	61-3	61-2	61-6	61-6	61-6
July	59	58-4	58-7	58-2	58-6
Oct.	54		54-1	53-5	54-1

Cash Grain Close

Wheat—1 northern 136, 2 130½, 3 113¼, 4 102½, 5 88½, 6 79½, feed 69½, track 135. Amber Durum—1 89, 2 81½, 3 78½, 4 76½, track 89. Arw.—1 102½, 2 100½, 3 98½. Garnet—1 113½, 2 109½.

Oats—2 cw. 52, 3 48⅝, ex. 1 feed 49, 1 feed 46½, 2 41½, 3 38½, track 50.

Barley—2 row. 62¼, 3 59¼, 4 58¼, 5 57¼, 6 56¼, track 62¼.

Rye—1 cw. 72¼, 2 72¼, 3 69¾, rej. 2 64¾, 4 cw. 64¾, track 72¼.

Flax—1 nwc. 163, 2 cw. 159, 3 138, 4 133, track 163.

INDEMNITIES FOR FRIDAY

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

Winnipeg

	Bid	Offer
Wheat—		
May	117-6	122-2
July	108-6	113-4
October	91-5	94-7
Rye—		
May	72	75-4
July		75
Barley—		
May		62-2

CHICAGO (AP) — Despite late rallies, Chicago wheat prices today failed to recover fully from earlier material setbacks that resulted from a let-up in war-scare talk.

Dust storm reports from domestic winter crop areas southwest were largely responsible for wheat price rallies. General buying demand in the wheat pit, however, was unaggressive awaiting the United States government crop report due tomorrow.

At the close, Chicago wheat futures were ¼ to 1 cent under yesterday's finish, May 87 to 87⅛, July 84¼ to 84⅜, corn unchanged to ¼ higher, May 59⅛ to 59¼, July 61 to 61⅛, and oats unchanged to ¼ off.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	P. Clo.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
May	87-7	86-6	87-2	86-2	87
July	84-7	84-1	84-5	83-4	84-2
Sept.	85-3	84-4	85-3	84-1	85
Corn—					
May	59-1	58-7	59-2	58-7	59-2
July	61	60-7	61-1	60-7	61
Sept.	62-1	62	62-3	62	62-3
Oats—					
May	30-2	30	30-2	29-7	30-2
July	29-2	28-7	29	28-7	29
Sept.	29-1	28-7	28-7	28-6	28-7
Rye—					
May	--	68	68-2	67-4	68-1
July	--	66	66-1	65-4	66-1
Sept.	--	64	64-5	64	64-6

Calgary Oils

CALGARY (CP)—Trade was dull in oil issues on the Calgary Stock Exchange today. There were a few minor upturns, but generally the price trend was downard.

C. & E. dropped 15 cents to $2.10; Okalta opened slightly higher, but later declined to its previous close of $1.40. Commoil was higher at 54½, while Sunset gained a point at 34. A. P. Consolidated, Commonwealth, Firestone and United showed fractional gains.

London Market

LONDON—The general tendency of the stock market was higher today and government loans recovered. Rising prices in the early part of the session brought renewed liquidation and some gains were canceled. American shares followed the decline in New York late Wednesday and final prices were off as much as three points, but were mostly above Wall Street's Wednesday finals. The industrial, oil and mining groups were mixed. Most of the list closed near the best.

Closing: Brazilian $9⅝, C.P.R. $5⅞. International Nickel $48⅛, U.S. Steel $52½. Anglo-Newfoundland Dev. 27s 6d, British-American Tobacco 96s 3d, Wireless £58⅛, Central Mining £22¼, Courtaulds 37s, H.B.C. 19s 4½d, Woolworth 58s 1½d.

Bonds: British 2½% Consols £72½, British 3½% War Loan £100¼, British Funding 4s 1960-90 £112¼.

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER — Vancouver cash wheat prices:

	Straight	Tough
No. 1 hard	129½	127½
No. 1 northern	129½	127½
No. 2 northern	121½	119½
No. 3 northern	108½	105½
No. 4 northern	96½	93½
No. 5 wheat	84½	81½
No. 6 wheat	75½	72½
Feed	65½	62½

CANADA KEEPS CLEAR OF TILTS

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the Prime Minister had said, but felt no dis-service would be performed to any other government if the Prime Minister, who had access to private information, would give Parliament some indication of the government's appreciation of the situation.

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Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK (AP)—A brighter outlook for the peace of Europe had a steadying effect on major foreign currencies today.

The Holland Guilder, sharply recovering from the heavy pressure it has recently been under, bounded .22 on a cent higher in terms of the dollar.

The pound sterling advanced ½ cent. The French franc, still wobbly in face of political difficulties, lost 00½ of a cent.

Noon rates follow: Great Britain in dollars, others in cents. Great Britain demand 4.97; cables 4.97; 60-day bills 4.96¼; France demand 3.11½; cables 3.11½.

Dollars: Montreal in New York 99.71⅞; New York in Montreal 100.28⅛.

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY (CP)—Receipts today: Cattle 187, calves 11, hogs 98, no sheep.

Cattle market steady. Good butcher steers 4.50 to 5.00, good to choice heifers 4.25 to 4.75, good to choice fed calves 4.50 to 5.50, cows 3.25 to 3.50, good to choice veal calves 7.00 to 8.00.

No hog sales, Wednesday's close selects 10.00, bacons 9.50, butchers 9.00.

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL—Spot: Butter, Quebecgrass regraded, 36½c; New Zealand finest, 36a. Sales, 100 boxes Quebec grass regraded at 36½.

Eggs, Ontario, A large, 24½a.

Butter futures steady and unchanged; March 35½ to 36½.

Metal Prices

LONDON—Bar gold 140s ½d, up 3d. (Equivalent $34.78.)

LONDON—Bar silver 20½d, up ⅛.

LONDON—Closing: Copper, standard, spot, £40 13s 9d, unchanged; future, £40 17s 6d, off 1s 3d. Electrolytic, spot, bid £44 5s, off 5s; asked, £45 5s, unchanged.

Tin, spot, £184 15s, off 5s; future, £185. Bids.

Lead, spot, £16 11s 3d, up 6s 3d.

Zinc, spot, £14 15s; future, £14 17s 6d; both off 2s 6d.

MONTREAL—Spot: Copper, electrolytic, 11.55. Tin, 44.00. Lead, 4.95. Zinc, 4.65. Antimony, 16.50. Per 100 lbs., f.o.b. Montreal, five-ton lots.

NEW YORK—Copper, steady. Electrolytic, spot and future, 10.00; export, 10.05. Tin, steady; spot and nearby, 41.50; future, 41.60.

Lead, steady; spot, New York, 4.50 to 4.55; East St. Louis, 4.35.

Zinc, steady; East St. Louis, spot and future, 4.25.

NEW YORK—Bar silver 44¾, unchanged.

Liverpool

LIVERPOOL—Today's per-bushel wheat quotations, c.i.f. Liverpool, in Canadian funds at current sterling exchange rate, $4.98, as supplied by Broomhall. Shipment April:

	Today	Yest.
No. 1 Man. nor., Vancouver	144⅝	143⅞
No. 3 Man. nor., Vancouver	130	127⅝
No. 1 U.S. dark winters, gulf shipment (March)	116	115¾
U.S. white, Pacific (March)	105⅝	104¼
Argentine, Rosafe	117½	117½
Australian (March)	108¼	109
Indian, Karachi, new crop (May-June)	104⅛	103⅛
Russian, best quality sample (March)	115¼	115¾

Demonstration Seen in Warsaw

Crowd of 100,000 Poles Calls For Strong Action Against Lithuania

WARSAW (AP)—One hundred thousand persons massed in Pilsudski Square clamored today for strong action against Lithuania in the long-standing dispute that has strained relations with Poland's little neighbor.

They marched toward the residence of Marshall Edward Smigly-Rydz, army chief, shouting "On to Kovno!" (Kovno—Kaunas to Lithuanians—is the Lithuanian capital.)

Posters appeared saying "We don't want normalization of relations— we want annexation—We want Kovno," and "Marshal, lead us to Kovno."

Reserve army officers meeting at Grodno protested to Marshal Smigly-Ridz against continued Lithuanian "provocations."

An earlier Warsaw dispatch said Foreign Minister Joseph Beck would address the Senate March 23 on Poland's relations with Lithuania, according to an official announcement.

A brief communique said "the Polish government took proper steps in connection with the Polish-Lithuanian incident. Tension eased in Lithuania.

All Sections In Vancouver Rise

VANCOUVER (CP) — Prices were slightly stronger, in all sections on the Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Transactions totaled 70,604 shares.

Bralorne was off 10 in the golds at 8.40. Cariboo at 1.95 posted a 6 point gain and Kootenay Belle at 1.08 was up 7. Premier at 1.93 and Pioneer at 2.90 were each up 3.

In the base metals B.C. Nickel was off a fraction at 18½ and Pend Oreille was up 3 to 1.73. Lucky Jim at 2¾, Reeves MacDonald and Whitewater at 4¾ were unchanged.

Anaconda declined a fraction in the oil list to 7, while Calgary and Edmonton at 2.18 firmed 6. Okalta also gained 6 at 1.42. Davies Petroleum was unchanged at 50. Royalite recovered 50 to 38.00.

(By Mara, Bate & Co. Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
MINES—		
Aztec	8	10
Big Missouri	35	40
B.C. Nickel	18-4	19
Bralorne	840	855
Bridge River Con.	2	2-4
Cariboo Gold	195	200
Dunwell	4-4	5-4
Dentonia	8	9
Fairview Amal.	3-2	..
Federal	1	..
Golconda	5	5-4
Gold Belt	30	32
Gold Mount	2	3
Grull Wihksne	5-3	6
Hedley Mascot	105	108
Home Gold	1-2	1-3
Island Mount	80	85
Kootenay Belle	108	109
Lucky Jim	2-6	3-3
Mak Siccar	1-6	2
Minto	2-5	3-1
Nicola	5	5-4
Noble Five	3	4
Pend Oreille	173	180
Pilot Gold	1-6	2-3
Pioneer Gold	290	300
Porter Idaho	2-2	3-4
Premier Gold	193	200
Quesnelle Quartz	7	9
Relief Arlington	17	19
Reno Gold	45	47
Reward	4	4-6
Sally	3	4
Salmon Gold	6	7
Sheep Creek	95	98
Silbak Premier	170	180
Taylor Bridge	4	4-4
Vidette	14	16
Rufus Argenta	1-6	2-4
Ruth Hope	..	3
Waverley	⅝	..
Wellington	2-1	2-4
Wesko	3-4	3-6
Whitewater	4-6	5-4
Ymir Yankee Girl	17	20
OILS—		
Amalgamated	5	6-4
Anaconda	6-4	9
A.P. Con.	20	21
British Dominion	..	12
C. and E.	218	222
Calmont	35	37
Commonwealth	26-6	..
Crow's Nest	4	5
Dalhousie Oil	40	..
Freehold	4-4	5
Hargal	19	..
Highwood Sarcee	10	..
Home Oil	100	..
Madison	6-4	6-7
Mar Jon	6	7
McDougall Segur	18	21
McLeod	17	..
Mill City	7	8-4
Mercury Oil	12	14
Merland	5	..
Model Oil	20	29
Monarch	15	18
Nordon	..	10
Okalta	142	143
Pacalta	9	10
Royalite	38	..
United Oil	15	16
Vanalta	..	6
Vulcan	90	95
MISCELLANEOUS		
Capital Estates	275	300
Coast Breweries	13	13-2
Inter. Coal and Coke	25	--

EXCHANGE

LONDON (AP)—United States dollar dipped ⅜ of a cent as demand for the currency lessened in foreign exchange trading today. Final rate was $4.97¼ to the pound, compared with sterling at $4.96 in New York overnight.

French francs recovered substantially to close 159.75 to the pound, against 162.87 yesterday.

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Uncle Ray

In a Japanese Home

Among the fine persons I have met in my world travels is Mrs. Ichiko Kamichika Suzuki. She is kind of heart, and has given her life to working for peace and good will between nations, for the well-being of mankind. She is known as one of the leading women of Japan, and is loved by the plain people who read her newspaper articles and her books.

Japanese near paper "window doors."

I was pleased when Mrs. Suzuki invited me to her home for tea. There I met her two daughters and her son, who range in age from 12 to 16. At least that is the way we would count their ages.

"By the Japanese system of counting," said my hostess, "my elder daughter is 18 years of age, but by your system she is only 16!

"In Japan, we say a child is one year old on the day of birth, and we add another year on each New Year's Day. My daughter was born on Christmas Day, so we counted her one year old that day. When New Year's came, we said she was two years old, though only a week had passed since her birth!"

As I entered the Suzuki home, I was given a pair of slippers. So I took off the shoes I was wearing and changed to the slippers. It is the old Japanese custom to leave your shoes in the hallway. This keeps dust and dirt from being "tracked" through the house.

I found the inside of this home "spic and span," the same as two other Tokio homes I have visited. In most Japanese homes there is little furniture. When you reach the living-room, or parlor, you may look around for a chair, but (except once in a great while) you will not find it. The thing to do is to sit on the floor, that is, on a cushion placed on the floor.

In the Suzuki home, I sat on a pillow or cushion while tea and cake were served. The table was about 12 inches high.

Over at one side of the room was a kind of desk perhaps just an inch of two higher than the table.

"That is where I worked," said Mrs. Suzuki, "while I was translating your book, 'The Child's Story of the Human Race' into Japanese. Two editions have been published, each of two volumes. More than 40,000 copies of each volume have been sold in Japan."

At one side of the room, I noticed the "window doors" so common in Japanese homes. They are made of a light framework of wood covered with strong white paper. They slide back and forth. In winter them are kept closed most of the time, but light comes through the paper.

UNCLE RAY.

Tomorrow — Japanese Bowing Food.

HOROSCOPE

"The stars incline, but do not compel."

Friday, March 18, 1938.

Bankers and financiers may find this a favorable day for important conferences affecting international affairs. According to astrology the United States Treasury will meet grave problems connected with increased expenditures. Many signs seem to presage unusual demands on American stores of gold.

This is a fairly favorable day for planning future policies and should be lucky for families as well as nations. Many changes are indicated for householders on May 1.

Riots and even revolutions are forecast for the Argentine and Brazilian republics before the summer. Unrest will continue to affect all the nations of the world.

According to a London astrologer, Mars and Herschel in conjunction in Taurus on the ascendant, denote for May great military activity, and even conscription in Great Britain. This may cause a decline in the stock market.

While certain seers foretell war the greater danger in the United States appears to be labor upheavals.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of fairly good fortune. For a few, legacies and unexpected acquisitions of money are foretold.

Children born on this day probably will be slow though reliable mentally. Subjects of this sign succeed through ability and industry.

Glover Cleveland, former President of the United States, was born on this day 1837. Others who have celebrated it as a birthday include Rimsky-Korsakoff, Russian composer, 1844.

Thule, a settlement in Greenland 350 miles north of the Arctic Circle, has over 300 inhabitants, mostly Eskimos.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR MISS DIX—I am a poor young man. Worked my way through college, but have now a good position where I have fine prospects of advancement. I am very ambitious and anxious to rise in the world. My father and mother were always poor, had a big family of children and we were always underfed, underclothed and dodging the bill collectors. I don't want to live that kind of a life. My trouble is that I am in love with a girl of my own class in life who was reared like I was and has little education, but she is sweet and good and loves me. But I am afraid that if I marry her that we will fall back into the kind of life that our parents had and that I am trying to struggle out of. If I marry her will she handicap me?

TOM.

Answer—Fatally, I should say. There are wives who are a millstone around their husbands' necks and there are other wives who are spurs in their sides but, unfortunately, this girl is of the type who sink their husbands instead of driving them on to success. Also, it is evident that she is one of the sweet, gentle, clinging girls, with a certain amount of sex appeal, but with nothing else, whom men marry in their 20's and whom they have outgrown and tired of in their 40's.

There are no bitterer tragedies than those in which the husband goes forward and the wife stays put, but still clings with frantic hands to the husband she knows only endures her from a sense of duty and honor. Save yourself from that fate and save the girl from it, too, by leaving her to marry some man in her own class who will be satisfied with her as she is.

It has been said that there is a woman behind the door of every man's success. It is true that if a man marries a clever and ambitious woman she can do much to boost him up the ladder. She can make friends for him. She can make social contacts that will be helpful to him. She can be a discreet and valuable press agent. She can be a wise adviser whose intuitions are inspirations. But this presupposes that the woman has intelligence and culture and tact and social experience and that she is an adept at playing the game.

Far otherwise is it if the man's wife is dull and timid and dumb, and if she doesn't know what to say or how to say it, nor what to wear, and if people regard her as a bore and a nuisance that they have to stand for her husband's sake. Goodness does not offset mental and physical frumpiness in society.

I think a poor young man makes a mistake in marrying if he is ambitious, and that he will travel faster if he travels alone. Almost any kind of a wife is a handicap to him. For one thing, wives are a luxury. Babies an extravgance. If a poor boy marries a poor girl he almost inevitably finds himself swamped in a sea of debt. It takes everything he makes and more to support his family, for the married man can't live as economically as a single man, so he never gets a chance to save the money that is so often the golden key that unlocks the door of success.

Another handicap is that the married man cannot go wherever fortune calls him. He is tied down to hearth and home. Still another disadvantage that the married man has is that as long as he is single he is of interest, especially to women, who lend him a helping hand, but the minute he is married they drop him. A single man is a social asset, but when he has to drag along a wife, he is a liability, and they stop asking him to dinner.

But, of course, all of this is the sordid side of marriage. On the other side there is love that may make it worth while to lose the world and to have all of his ambitions frustrated. Every man must make his own choice between the two.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—I am going to be married in a few weeks and don't know whether to tell my parents or just to get married and tell them afterward. There is no objection to the young man. But if I tell my mother and father it would make a lot of work and a big expense for them, especially for my mother, who would insist on giving me parties and having a big wedding, which I don't want her to do. What must I do?

IVA.

Answer—Tell them, of course, because it would deeply hurt their feelings if you did not share your great moment with them. I sympathize with your desire to get married as quietly as possible, but your mother may be one of the women who dote on weddings and would never get over not having you married with all the fuss and feathers.

DOROTHY DIX.

Equality in Britain For U.S. Lumber

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States lumber industry Wednesday demanded equal tariffs with British sources in the United Kingdom.

"Even then," W. B. Greeley of Seattle told the committee on reciprocity, "lumber exporters of Canada would hold an advantage over the domestic trade due to a variety of reasons, including higher labor costs."

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Close, 4 p.m., March 17, Ss. Queen Mary via New York. Air mail closes 8.30 a.m., March 21.

Close, 4 p.m., March 20, Ss. Aquitania via New York. Air mail closes 8.30 a.m., March 24.

Close, 1.10 p.m., March 21, Ss. Duchess of Bedford.

WEST INDIES GENERALLY

Close, 1.10 p.m., March 18.

JAMAICA

Close, 1.10 p.m., March 18, 20.

CHINA AND JAPAN

Empress of Asia, March 19, 4 p.m.; arriving Yokohama April 4, Shanghai April 7, Hongkong April 9.

President Grant, March 26, 4 p.m.; arriving Yokohama April 9, Hongkong April 20.

*Carries mail for Honolulu.

**Carries mail for Japan and Shanghai only.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

Niagara, March 16, 4 p.m.; arriving Auckland April 4, Sydney April 9.

Mariposa, via San Francisco, March 25, 11.15 p.m.; arriving Auckland April 14, Sydney April 17.

HONOLULU MAILS

Close, 11.15 p.m., March 11, 12, 16, 19, 22, 23, 25, 26, 28, 30, April 2, 6, 9, 11.

Close, 4 p.m., March 16, Ss. Niagara.

Close, 4 p.m., April 2, Ss. Empress of Canada.

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MAY SUSPEND FISH TRADE

Operators and Union Fishermen in Disagreement Over Wages

SEATTLE (AP) — Complete suspension of salmon fishing operations in the western Alaska district, with a possible spread to the entire industry involving 25,000 men, was threatened today as wage negotiations between operators and union fishermen came to a standstill.

Louis Mostad, Alaska Fishermen's Union agent, announced the union had rejected the operators' offer. It called for a 10 per cent cut in monthly wages and reductions of from 10 to 20 per cent in the fishermen's percentage from the catch, he said.

Arthur I. Ellsworth, secretary of the Canned Salmon Industry, said many packers are considering closing down completely for the season, leaving several hundred men employed in the western Alaska district "on the beach," and threatening similar action in the other districts if fishermen take the same action.

Mostad said the union is asking the same wages as paid last year, except for $10 a month increases in the cases of captains, engineers on tenders, net foremen, hammermen and pile driver foreman. The same percentages on catch proceeds are asked.

Representatives of the packers said the salmon market had "slid off" and that the large inventory on hand made retrenchments necessary.

The early movement north to Alaska of men and equipment has been held up pending the outcome of the dispute.

WILL EXTEND SHIP SUBSIDY

American Mail Line Will Receive Further Temporary Assistance

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States Maritime Commission announced yesterday it had approved an application by the American Mail Line of Seattle for a 90-day extension of its temporary operating subsidy.

The commission warned that further extension might not be granted unless there was a "satisfactory adjustment of your basic problems, including that of replacement."

The company's present subsidy agreement expires March 24.

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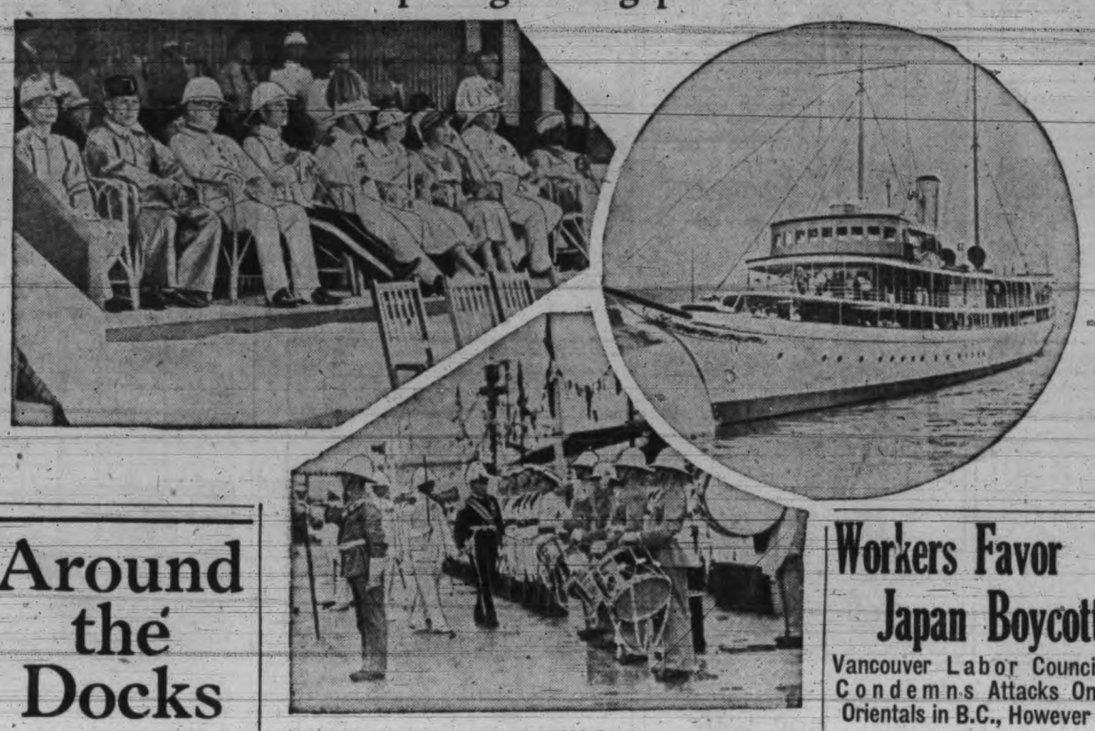

Officials (top left) are seen watching ceremonies opening Great Britain's great naval base at Singapore—largest in the world—and known as the Gibraltar of the East. Guests included representatives of Australia, India, Ceylon, Hongkong and North Borneo and six sultans of Malaya, who had contributed towards the cost. H.M.S. Sea Belle is shown (top right) about to nose through a ribbon stretched across the entrance to the naval base, to formally open the station. Several U.S. naval vessels were present at the ceremonies. Below is seen Sir Shenton Thomas (right), Civil Governor of the Singapore Crown Colony, inspecting a guard of honor.

Around the Docks

The waterfront was ablaze with lights early last night as the Niagara backed away from the Rithet piers, bound for Australia, and the Preesident Grant came in from the Orient.

The Niagara was late in sailing and the President Grant had to wait a short time off Esquimalt Harbor. As the Niagara swung out past the breakwater the President Grant steamed in and took her berth.

Capt. H. B. Clarke, U.S.N.R., master of the President Grant, said he encountered some rough weather coming across the North Pacific. South of the Aleutian Islands a gale was raging, which, however, did not retard the liner's progress.

There were 400 tons of freight aboard the liner for Victoria. More than half of this was raw silk from Japan for dispatch across Canada, en route to Europe silk mills.

There were few passengers on board, among them being Lieut. C. Lamb, with his wife and four children, en route to Washington; Clyde F. Elliott and Colin Tapley, officials of Paramount, en route to Hollywood; Bishop E. G. Richardson of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and Rev. Father Denis Fogarty, returning from the interior of China, where he served as a missionary. All proceeded to Seattle.

Capt. P. G. Taylor, who flew with the late Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith a number of times, was a passenger aboard the Niagara, returning to his home in Australia after a visit to the United States and Europe.

Ss. Queen Mary sailed from New York last week for Europe with 1,115 passengers—the largest list of the season. Nearly 400 of them were transferred from the Ss. Berengaria, whose main lounge was badly damaged by fire in New York.

Among the passengers on the Queen Mary were Lord Dawson of Penn, physician to England's Royal Family; Arturo Toscanini, famous symphony orchestra conductor; Michael MacWhite, Irish Minister to the United States, and Mrs. MacWhite; Lord Essendon, chairman of the Furness, Witby Company, and Viscount and Viscountess Leverhulme.

British freighter Rothley, Capt. Harold White, came in early this morning to load nearly 1,000,000 feet of lumber at Ogden Point for Melbourne. She will be here until Saturday.

Ss. Blairlogie is loading lumber today at Cowichan Bay for the United Kingdom.

Lightship Torn From Moorings

SEATTLE (AP) — Two men were lost off the troller La Paloma in gales which swept the Washington and Oregon coasts yesterday.

The United States coastguard reported the men, whose names were not available, were washed from the vessel off Neah Bay.

Heavy winds whipped Seattle and the Puget Sound district, with rain and hail falling here and with snow in Spokane and other western Washington points.

The full force of the storm centred off the entrance to the Straits of Juan de Fuca, where a 64-mile-an-hour gale endangered small craft and tore the lightship Umatilla from her moorings on the reef off Cape Flattery, forcing her to take refuge in Neah Bay.

The coastguard cutter Redwing and the patrol boat Atlanta put out of Port Angeles to aid an unidentified halibut schooner.

Spoken By Wireless

March 16, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

ROSEBANK, Port Alberni to San Pedro, 971 miles from San Pedro.

SHEAFHOLME, bound Vancouver, 550 miles south of Estevan.

LINDENHALL, bound Vancouver, 1,460 miles south of Cape Flattery.

W. B. WALKER, Shanghai to San Francisco, 850 miles west of Estevan.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY, Victoria to Yokohama, 1,807 miles from Victoria.

March 17, 12 noon.—Weather:

Estevan, overcast; snow and sleet squalls; east; moderate; 29.35; 32; sea, heavy swell.

Pachena Point, snow; east; light; 29.80; 33; sea, moderate swell.

Swiftsure Lightship, cloudy; east; light; 29.85; 39; sea, heavy southwest swell.

Cape Lazo, part cloudy; southeast; light; 29.82; sea, smooth.

Pilots' Lookout

Niagara (British), docked Victoria, from Vancouver, 6.15 p.m., Thursday; sailed for Honolulu, Suva, Auckland, Sydney, 8.30 p.m.

President Grant (American), docked Victoria, from Orient ports, 9 p.m., Thursday; sailed for Seattle 2 a.m.

Rothley (British), docked Victoria, from New Westminster, 2 a.m.

King Egbert (British), passed Victoria, bound Englewood, 5.20 a.m.

Clydebank (British), due Race Rocks, bound Vancouver, 5 p.m.

Alnmoor (British), due Race Rocks, bound Fraser River, 10 p.m.

Blairlogie (British), loading lumber at Cowichan Bay.

At World Ports

ARRIVED—New York, March 15—Ile de France, from Havre; London, March 15—City of Havre, Baltimore; Yokohama, March 14—President Cleveland, San Francisco; Belfast, March 13—Caledonia, New York; Glasgow, March 14—Caledonia, New York; Buenos Aires, March 16—Pan America, New York; Valparaiso, March 16—Santa Lucia, New York; Havre, March 16—Washington, New York.

SAILED—New York, March 16—President Harding, for Hamburg; Stavangerfjord, Bergen; Southampton, March 12—Andania, New York; March 14—City of Norfolk, Norfolk; Hamburg, March 16—President Roosevelt, New York; Manila, March 14—Empress of Russia, Victoria, B.C.

PANAMA CANAL (AP) — Passed east—None. Passed west—Ardangorm, New Orleans for Vancouver; Alabaman, New York for Los Angeles; San Bernardino, Jacksonville for Los Angeles and San Francisco.

ARRIVED — Shanghai, March 15—Gertrude Maersk, from Los Angeles; Silveryew, Los Angeles; Manila, March 15—Hoegh Silverstar, San Francisco; Rotterdam, March 15—Awata Maru, Los Angeles; Limerick, March 15—Dmarton, Portland, Ore.; Melbourne, March 14—Nordic, San Francisco; London, March 14—Ionic Star, San Francisco; Hull, March 14—King Frederick, Vancouver; Havre, March 13—Taranger, San Francisco.

SAILED—Kobe, March 15—Atago Maru, for San Francisco; Liverpool, March 15 — Tolten, Vancouver; Antwerp, March 14—Aldington Court, Vancouver, March 12 — Wisconsin, Vancouver; Rotterdam, March 14—Ekatontarchos, Dracoulis, Vancouver; Kate, Los Angeles, March 13—Oakland, Vancouver; Manila, March 14—Hoegh Silverlight, San Francisco.

Deep-sea Shipping

TO ARRIVE

MARCH

PACIFIC PRESIDENT, United Kingdom, March 22.

EMPRESS OF CANADA, Orient, Honolulu, March 27.

GRACIA, United Kingdom, March 27.

HEIAN MARU (at William Head), Japan, March 28.

PRESIDENT JACKSON, Orient, March 30.

APRIL

DELFTDYK, Europe, April 1.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA, Orient, April 4.

AORANGI, Australia, New Zealand, Fiji, Hawaii, April 8.

PACIFIC EXPORTER, United Kingdom, April 8.

CORRIENTES, United Kingdom, April 10.

HIKAWA MARU (at William Head), Japan, April 11.

IXION, Orient, April 12.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON, Orient, April 13.

LOCHGOIL, Europe, April 15.

EMPRESS OF JAPAN, Orient, Hawaii, April 19.

MODAVIA, United Kingdom, April 25.

HIYE MARU (at William Head), Japan, April 25.

PRESIDENT McKINLEY, Orient, April 27.

TO SAIL

MARCH

EMPRESS OF ASIA, Orient, March 19.

HIYE MARU, Japan, March 19.

PARTHENIA, United Kingdom, March 22.

PRESIDENT GRANT, Orient, March 26.

PACIFIC PRESIDENT, United Kingdom, March 26.

GRACIA, United Kingdom, March 31.

APRIL

EMPRESS OF CANADA, Honolulu, Orient, April 2.

TYNDAREUS, Orient, April 5.

DELFTDYK, Europe, April 6.

PRESIDENT JACKSON, Orient, April 9.

HEIAN MARU, Japan, April 9.

PACIFIC EXPORTER, United Kingdom, April 9.

CORRIENTES, United Kingdom, April 14.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA, Orient, April 16.

LOCHGOIL, United Kingdom, April 20.

HIKAWA MARU, Japan, April 22.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON, Orient, April 23.

MODAVIA, United Kingdom, April 29.

EMPRESS OF JAPAN, Hawaii, Orient, April 30.

Coastwise Sailings

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER

Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria for Vancouver daily at 1.55 p.m.; arrives Vancouver, 6.35 p.m.

Princess Marguerite leaves Vancouver daily for Victoria at 10.30 a.m.; arrives Victoria, 3.10 p.m.

Princess Kathleen or Princess Joan leaves Victoria daily at midnight, arriving Vancouver 7 a.m.

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VICTORIA-SEATTLE

Ss. Iroquois leaves Seattle daily at midnight; arrives Victoria, 8.35 a.m.; leaves Victoria, 9.15 a.m.; arrives Seattle, 5.30 p.m.

Princess Marguerite leaves Victoria daily, 4.30 p.m.; arrives Seattle, 9 p.m.

Princess Charlotte leaves Seattle daily, 9 a.m.; arrives Victoria, 1.15 p.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES

Ss. Iroquois leaves Port Angeles, 7 a.m.; arrives Victoria, 8.35 a.m.; leaves Victoria, 9.15 a.m.; arrives Port Angeles, 10.55 a.m.

SIDNEY-ANACORTES

Rosario leaves Sidney, 2 p.m. Leaves Anacortes, 8.45 a.m.

SALT SPRING ISLAND

Ms. Cy Peck leaves Swartz Bay daily, except Wednesdays, at 9.30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Ms. Cy Peck leaves Fulford Harbor daily, except Wednesdays, at 8.15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY

Ms. Cascade leaves Brentwood at 9, 10 and 11 a.m., 12 noon, 2, 3, 4 and 5 p.m. Ms. Cascade leaves Mill Bay at 9.30, 10.30 and 11.30 a.m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30 and 5.30 p.m.

WEST COAST

Ss. Princess Maquinna leaves Victoria at 11 p.m. on 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER

Ss. Princess Victoria leaves Nanaimo daily, except Saturday and Sunday, at 7.45 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. Saturday only at 7.45 a.m., 2.30 p.m. and 9.15 p.m.; Sunday only at 5.45 p.m. Leaves Vancouver daily except Sunday at 11 a.m. and 5.45 p.m.; Sunday only at 11 a.m. and 8.45 p.m.

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Workers Favor Japan Boycott

Vancouver Labor Council Condemns Attacks On Orientals in B.C., However

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Vancouver and District Trades and Labor Council today was on record as approving a general boycott of Japanese goods, and was preparing plans for a waterfront demonstration against export of war materials to Japan.

The executive of the council attempted to keep the subject out of discussion, President E. A. Jamieson said, "for reasons that everyone should know."

Referring to statements made by Tom Reid, Liberal member of the House of Commons for New Westminster, concerning Japanese in British Columbia, C. Stewart said at the meeting held Tuesday night that Japanese fishermen were not the real enemies of white fishermen on the Pacific coast. The real enemies were the trap nets.

"Mr. Reid's whole declaration in the Commons is a slander against the Japanese, who are affiliated with this council," Stewart said.

The council adopted a resolution "reaffirming our stand against the anti-Oriental prejudice being stirred up in the daily press."

Delegates said the council was not opposed to Japanese in British Columbia, but disagreed strongly with Japanese policy in the Orient.

FIRE DETAILS ARE DESCRIBED

Police and Firemen Tell of Blaze on Which Arson Charge Based

Hearing of the charge of arson against Llewellyn Overton continued yesterday afternoon in the Assize Court before Mr. Justice H. B. Robertson when 16 witnesses were called by the prosecution to give evidence of the fire at 1131 Munro Street on September 19 last year.

Richard C. Lowe appears for the defence and Carew Martin for the prosecution. The trial is continuing today.

Evidence of the result of the fire was given by Constable Gilbert Stancombe of the Esquimalt police who testified he attended the alarm and found the fire burning fiercely in the basement of the dwelling.

He testified all windows of the house were closed tightly and the fire was burning greatest under basement steps leading to the first floor. The furnace was filled with coal and he found a coal oil tin in the basement which had been previously kept in the garage.

Joseph F. Harper, Esquimalt fireman, gave similar testimony regarding the nature of the fire. He said he did not notice any odor of burning oil in the premises.

Evidence that Overton had increased insurance on the house and contents was given by Sam Clegg, manager of the insurance department in Pemberton and Son, and Edgar Rossiter, clerk.

POLICIES ISSUED

Following negotiations started by Mr. Clegg, Mr. Rossiter said he had written policies for the accused on September 15, four days before the fire. An additional $2,500 was placed on the house and the contents were insured for $6,000. The contents was not previously covered, Mr. Rossiter said. Overton had told him (Rossiter) that his wife and family were away and since being alone in the house he had become nervous about fire. The policy covering the house was made payable to J. F. Copeman, owner of the premises.

Mr. Copemar testified the accused had owed him about $1,600 on the house last September.

Mrs. Mabel Lambert, Kinner Street, testified she had acted as housekeeper in the Overton home in May and September of last year. She said during May she had attended a Mrs. Yates who was sick at the Overton house.

About September 12 or 13, Overton and Mrs. Yates, who had been looking for another house, had found one on Wildwood Avenue. On September 15 she said a quantity of furniture had been moved from Munro Street to Wildwood Avenue. This had included a piano, desk, rugs, pictures, some valuable linen, chinaware and silverware.

On September 19, she testified, Overton had arranged for a house-warming at the Wildwood Avenue home to be attended by Mrs. Lambert, her husband and her three sons.

When Overton drove them to Wildwood Avenue on this day he came and picked them up at the Lambert home on Kinver Street. This, she continued, was the first time he had ever done this since she usually went through the fence to his property to get into the car. She said he had not taken the shortest route to town when leaving the Lambert home.

George Arthur Lambert, 14, testified on September 19 he burned some rubbish in the furnace of the Overton home at the accused's request. He said he worked until 11.30 in the morning then went home.

While in the garage he had seen a coal oil can. This can had been there for some time, he said. Overton called at the house at 1.30 or 2 to take them to the housewarming, witness said.

Launch Reported Swept Over Falls

THE DALLES, Ore (AP) — State police investigated a report today that a launch carrying two men hurtled over Cililo Falls in the Columbia River.

C.N.R. VETERAN DIES

WINNIPEG — George Carruthers Briggs, engineer of buildings, Canadian National Railways, with headquarters at Winnipeg, died suddenly at his home in Winnipeg yesterday morning. Although Mr. Briggs had not been in the best of health for some years, he continued his office duties and had a full day at the office Tuesday. He is survived by his widow.

Mr. Briggs was born in Scotland and came to Canada, where he joined the Canadian Northern Railway in Toronto in 1906, as a draughtsman. In 1914 he was appointed architect. He was appointed engineer of buildings in Toronto in 1916, and in 1921 was transferred to Winnipeg with the same title. The funeral will be held in Winnipeg on Friday.

WHEN BUYING TOP QUALITY BEEF

Look for THE RED OR BLUE "RIBBON-LIKE" STAMP

WHEN buying beef, remember your colours. For *Red* Brand and *Blue* Brand designate top-quality beef... beef graded according to standards set by the Dominion Department of Agriculture. Here is how to identify this beef—to buy it by grade, with confidence.

Only top-quality beef is graded according to Government standards . . . and there are but two grades—*Red* and *Blue*. Red Brand beef, "Choice" quality, is marked with a *red* ribbon-like stamp so that part of this grade mark remains visible on every cut. Blue Brand, "Good" quality, is marked similarly, with a *blue* ribbon-like stamp. To be sure of top-quality beef, therefore—look for *some portion* of the *red* or *blue* ribbon-like stamp on the cut you buy.

Do not confuse this *round purple* stamp with the *grade marks* mentioned above. This is the Government health stamp, which appears on all beef from Government-inspected abattoirs. *It does not* refer to quality but merely indicates that the beef is fit for human consumption.

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